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TWENTY-SEVEN DIE AT BIRMINGHAM

VICTIMS OF THE RAILROAD WRECK BURIED.

Definite Figures Have Now Been Secured and Places the Death Roll At Nearly Thirty—Reward Is Offered For the Capture Of the Wreckers.

Birmingham, Ala, Dec. 30.—The funeral of Engineer Frank White, who went through the Cahaba river bridge on the Birmingham mineral train Sunday morning, in which wreck twenty-seven persons lost their lives, took place Tuesday, as did also the funerals of Mrs. Gleadall of Helena, Mrs. Henry Hanburry and two children, the Rev. R. H. Blount, colored, and W. Webb.

Superintendent Fraser of the Southern railroad said that his company will offer a large reward for the capture and conviction of the person or persons who tampered with the rails on the bride. The state will probably add to any reward offered by the Southern and the Louisville & Nashville roads, and the Southern express company may do likewise. Men began work yesterday replacing the bridge, and forty days will probably elapse before the track will be put in condition for regular traffic again. There are some victims of the accident yet missing. The railroad company gave the list of dead as twenty-three, but cannot account for those missing. A newspaper correspondent ascertained that thirty-eight persons were aboard the train. Eleven of this number are alive. It is thought Andrew Bryson cannot live.

Indiana Teachers' Meeting.

Indianapolis, Dec. 30.—The initial session of the State Teachers' association was held Tuesday night. The Indiana Library association, the Indiana College association, the county superintendents and the high school and other sections tributary to the State Teachers' association, were also in session. The college association accomplished little beyond discussing the Bible in college work, in which no conclusions were reached. The county superintendents devoted their attention to topics pertinent to legislative action.

Currency Reformers at Work.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 30.—A considerable list of delegates to the monetary reform convention was reported Tuesday. The executive committee is beginning to discuss the details of the convention. It is likely that the temporary chairman will be selected from the east and an effort will be made to have a western man made permanent chairman. The names of William E. Dodge and Seth Low of New York are mentioned as good timber for the temporary chairmanship.

Germany Short of Farm Labor.

London, Dec. 30.—A Berlin dispatch to the Standard says that Chancellor von Hohenlohe will submit to the Bundesrath a bill which is intended to restrict immigration from the agricultural districts of Germany. The exodus from certain agricultural districts of Germany to the cities and abroad has been so large that the landowners have been complaining greatly of the scarcity of labor.

Illinois Miners Ask for Aid.

Joliet, Ill., Dec. 30.—A committee of three miners from Coal City are in this city soliciting aid for the miners of Carbon Hill and Coal City, who have been locked out by the Star Coal Company putting in two-inch screens, that will be equal to a 25 per cent a ton, or 50 to 60 cents a day, reduction. This lockout leaves over 200 families on the verge of starvation.

In Favor of Nature Studies.

Des Moines, Iowa, Dec. 30.—The educational council of the State Teachers' association decided very emphatically in favor of nature studies in the grades below the high school. A new constitution is to be presented for adoption today. It proposes an elaborate scheme of making county associations a part of the state association, and other radical changes, which will be vigorously opposed.

Indiana Dairymen in Session.

Lebanon, Ind., Dec. 30.—The annual state convention of the Indiana Dairy association opened in this city Tuesday morning. A decided effort is being made to secure the indorsement of Gov. Hoard of Wisconsin for a cabinet position, and the chances are decidedly favorable for a resolution of that character being adopted.

Minneapolis Bank Fails.

Minneapolis, Dec. 30.—The Columbia National Bank, a small institution of comparatively recent establishment, with $200,000 capital, closed its doors Tuesday and is now in the hands of the bank examiner.

Kansas County Is Insolvent.

Dighton, Kas., Dec. 30.—The board of county commissioners of Lane county has formally declared the county insolvent and issued instructions to the county treasurer to refrain from further payment of interest on the county's bonded indebtedness. The funded debt of the county is $125,000.

POPE LEO RAPIDLY FAILING.

Private Letter Says the Pontiff Is Near to Death.

Portland, Maine, Dec. 30.—Pope Leo is near to death, so near, according to a private letter, that he realizes the end is not far off, and the question of his successor is occupying much attention.

The Portland Argus publishes the following: "The Argus is in receipt of information, coming from Rome in a private letter to a member of the staff, that the physical condition of His Holiness Pope Leo XIII. is such as to cause the gravest concern to those about him.

"The writer of the letter, who is in a position to know whereof he speaks, says that the pontiff's appearance is such as to make a person think he was looking at a corpse until the pope spoke. His voice is weak and his frame greatly emaciated. His mind, however, is perfectly clear. It is understood that the pope himself and those closest to him feel that the end is a matter of only a very short time."

Coasters Strike an Engine.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 30.—A coasting party on a bob-sled had a narrow escape from instant death Monday night. The Madison street hill was icy and the bobs slid in grooves worn three inches deep. It was impossible to change the course of the bobs after they were once in motion. One of the party saw a yard locomotive back down and shouted, but could do nothing to save himself. The engine struck the rear end of the bob, throwing all the riders off. All were more or less bruised, but Miss Mary Kearney and Mr. Burlingame were the worst injured. They may recover, but it is doubtful. The others were only slightly injured.

Ohio Miners Name Terms.

Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 30.—The Ohio miners' state convention adopted resolutions as follows: "That machine shall be three-fifths of pick mining, provided western Pennsylvania consents; that union men shall be employed in turn, provided it is not illegal; that non-union men in union mines shall be 'checked off' to pay expenses of the miners' organization, same as union men; that the mining rates be revised, and that no scale for this year be signed by the organization." The Ohio miners favor a joint board of operators and miners, to have full and absolute control of the scale question.

Window-Glass Men All Agree.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Window glass manufacturers and jobbers met at the Auditorium Annex yesterday. The manufacturers practically conceded the jobbers' demands. The rebate system as agreed upon secures for every purchaser who buys $8,000 worth of glass in six months a rebate of 2½ per cent, and to those buying $25,000 worth in six months a rebate of 5 per cent. By this system the long and short buyers alike are protected, and an equitable adjustment of rebates is provided for, so that both the small and large dealers alike are provided for.

McCollom Under Heavy Guard.

Port Huron, Mich., Dec. 30.—No attempt has yet been made to lynch McCollom, the man who brutally beat his aged mother, but there is no telling what time the mob of farmers around Kimball township will come in and batter down the doors of the jail and hang the prisoner. Sheriff Mallory has sworn in twelve extra deputy sheriffs and Chief Pettit has ordered six of his officers to assist Sheriff Mallory.

Vigorous Attack on College Sports.

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 30.—Prof. Victor C. Vaughn of the Michigan university made a vigorous attack on college athletics at the meeting of the State Teachers' association. He declared that the life of the average college athletic is very short, death ensuing before middle life, the athletic falling a victim to either heart or kidney disease. Football was condemned as brutal and its prohibition is urged.

Corrigan May Get Red Hat.

Rome, Dec. 30.—The statements published in the United States of the possibility of the elevation of Archbishop Corrigan to the cardinalate are pronounced by the vatican authorities to be pure guess work, and nothing will be known definitely on the subject until the next consistory, which takes place at Easter.

Three Thousand Chinamen Drowned.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 30.—The steamer Peru brings news of a severe famine in western China. The inhabitants are dying by scores from starvation, and a large portion of the city of Chuan Tung, on a bluff at the bend of the Kinsha river, was carried under the flood by a landslide and 3,000 of the starving Chinese were drowned.

Lynching May Follow a Murder.

Mian, Mo., Dec. 30.—Newton Widner shot and instantly killed his brother-in-law at Newton, in the northwestern part of this county, Monday evening, thus ending an old family feud. Widner is in jail at Princeton. Lynching is feared.

Big Failure in West Virginia.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Dec. 30.—Isaac Prager & Sons, a retail dry goods firm of long standing, assigned Tuesday to Henry Keller. Estimated liabilities are $100,000, assets about the same. Pressure of Cincinnati creditors is the alleged cause.

INJUSTICE ALLEGED BY THE AMERICANS

CITIZEN SAID TO BE IMPRISONED IN MEXICO.

Strong Evidence of a Plot to Convict Carlos A. Miller, Charged With Murder—American Legation Will Take Immediate Action—Many People Insist That He Is All Right.

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 30.—Americans throughout Mexico are watching with great interest the movements of the authorities in the case of Carlos A. Miller, an American citizen and resident of Cuajinicuilapan, state of Guerrero. He is in Belim prison, City of Mexico, charged with the murder of a Mexican engineer named Eduardo Zepeda at Ometepec Oct. 6. Miller claimed from the first that the local officers at Ometepec and in his own town with the unpronounceable name had conspired to bring a murder charge against him, and encompass his ruin and death if possible. He claims to know the identity of the murderers, and offers, if released under guard, to furnish evidence of a wholesale conspiracy in the state of Guerrero not only to do away with him, but to defraud the government out of a large amount.

Reputable people of the state have forwarded to the government statements setting forth that Miller is all right and is the intended victim of enemies in public places. Ignacia Mariscal, secretary of foreign affairs, has investigated Miller's case somewhat and is convinced of his innocence. He has notified the American legation to that effect. It is possible, therefore, that Miller will soon be released. Meantime, on orders from President Diaz, an investigation is going on in the state of Guerero unearthing scandals in public offices and running down the murderers of Engineer Zepeda.

SPAIN DENIES THE RUMOR.

United States Not to Mediate in Cuban War.

Washington, Dec. 30.—From official sources a denial is made of the statement that the Spanish premier, Canovas, has sent Secretary Olney a communication accepting the mediation of the United States on the carrying out of a plan of autonomy for Cuba.

It is said no such letter has been sent, nor had anything of such a nature passed through the Spanish officials here. Negotiations toward home rule have proceeded for some months, and the last phases of these negotiations indicated an enlargement of the home-rule laws adopted by the Spanish cortes last year, but not put into execution.

These arrangements embrace the election of the entire Cuban Congress instead of a mixed Congress of fifteen elected members and fifteen appointed by the queen regent, and also a complete control by Cuba of her tariff.

The latest statement regarding Spain's intentions with respect to the pacification of Cuba, therefore, deals with a past phase of them, Spain having decided on a considerably more liberal scheme of reform than the old one to which the latest publication on the Cuban subject has reference. As yet the negotiations with respect to the enlarged reforms are tentative. A draft of them has not been received at Washington and the information on them is of a general nature.

Man and Wife Assassinated.

Knoxville, Tenn., Dec. 30.—At 11 o'clock Monday night William W. Whaley and wife, poor but respected citizens of Sevier county, living near Sevierville, were shot down by two men who broke into their home. Many seem to think that the perpetrators of the tragedy were some of the Haley crowd, who recently had been prosecuted before the grand jury.

Jealousy Costs Two Lives.

Huron, S. D., Dec. 30.—Edward Rosa, who made his home with his brother, Cale Rosa, a ranchman near Forest City, shot and killed his sweetheart, Miss Mary Brehl, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Stewart, in Forest City. After killing the girl Rosa blew out his own brains. They had been to a dance Christmas. Rosa believed he was not given proper attention by the girl.

Indiana Candidates Alert.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 30.—The legislature does not meet until one week from Thursday, but the most active supporters of the several candidates for United States senator are coming in to stay until the candidate shall be nominated. There is a demand that the caucus shall be held the first week of the season, and will probably be fixed for Jan. 7.

Ice Blockade at St. Johns, N. F.

St. Johns, N. F., Dec. 30.—An ice blockade on the whole of the northwestern coast of the island has begun, and vessels are returning here, it being impossible to reach the mining settlements. All navigation will be suspended for the remainder of the year.

Movement of Bog Ceases.

Dublin, Dec. 30.—The destructive movement of the bog land at Castle Island finally ceased Tuesday night. Two bodies have been found a mile distant from the scene of the disaster.

OFFICIALS ALARMED AT WASHINGTON

ANXIETY OVER VIOLATION OF NEUTRALITY LAWS.

Action of the Authorities In Florida Causes Apprehension On the Part of President Cleveland—Spain Said to Be Negotiating with Olney—Weyler Has Returned.

Washington, Dec. 30.—The President is not satisfied with the work of federal officers in Florida and along the south Atlantic coast in relation to filibustering expeditions.

He was in consultation yesterday with Secretaries Olney and Carlisle, and it is expected that some more positive orders will be given to the federal officers who are expected to enforce the neutrality laws.

It is strongy suspected that the officials in Florida are influenced by local sentiment and are not anxious to oppose the Cubans. Though two naval vessels and four or five revenue cutters are stationed in southern waters solely to prevent filibustering, the number of successful expeditions is steadily increasing.

There was much telegraphing between Secretary Carlisle and the revenue officers in Florida and the subject of the correspondence was the lax enforcement of the neutrality laws. The fact that filibusters when arrested and given a jury trial are generally sure of acquittal in a state like Florida, where practically every man is a Cuban sympathizer, has also been discussed by the administration officials.

It is feared that Spain may bring action for damages on account of these expeditions, and will be able to show that local sympathy controlled the Florida courts to such an extent that the trials were farces.

The President will probably not issue another proclamation warning citizens against filibustering. He had already issued two, neither of which has served its purpose. Another, he believes would be equally ineffectual.

Spain Dickering with Olney.

London, Dec. 30.—The Daily News' Paris correspondent says: "It is quite clear that Spain is negotiating with Mr. Olney, but the Castillian pride compels the government to negotiate in an underhand way. They cannot help trying to arrive at a private understanding with the United States, for the proceeds of the recent loan are nearly exhausted and Captain General Weyler's apparent inaction has checked the buoyancy which followed Maceo's death."

Weyler Returning to Havana.

Los Palacios, Dec. 29, via Havana, Dec. 30.—General Weyler is on his way back to Havana, via Santo Dominga, San Cristobal, Candelaria, Artemisa and probably Guanajay.

Acting Against Convict Labor.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Organized labor has combined with state manufacturers to secure a legislative enactment to protect free labor in Illinois. At a conference at the Sherman house yesterday the grievance of wage-earners formed the basis for prompt action. A committee to prepare a legislative bill to be officially indorsed by trades unionists and manufacturers was named.

Sultan Yields to Pressure.

Constantinople, Dec. 30.—The porte has granted the demand of the envoys of France and Italy that their dragomans be present at the trial of Mazhav Bey. Mazhav is charged with being responsible for the murder of Father Salvatore, an Italian priest, who was killed in the convent of Jenidjekele at Marash in 1895 by Turkish troops commanded by Mazhav.

Condition of Mrs. Beecher.

Stamford, Conn., Dec. 30.—The condition of Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher, whose hip was broken by a fall Sunday morning at the residence of her son-in-law, Samuel Scoville, is still serious. Her physician says that while there is little immediate danger, in view of her advanced age the chances for her recovery are about even.

Steelmakers Called Together.

New York, Dec. 30.—It is announce that another meeting of the Bessem Steel association of the United St will be held in this city next wee which an attempt will be made associated interests to agree on for billets which will restore a ship between the price of b higher manufactures.

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VAN NORTWICKS' FAILURE.

Assets Are Very Largely in Excess of Liabilities.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Yesterday's developments in the failure of William M. and John S. Van Nortwick indicate that it was not as bad as at first reported. William Van Nortwick, who arrived in Chicago early in the afternoon, made the statement that his liabilities were in the neighborhood of $500,000, and that his assets would reach the sum of $2,000,000. "We shall be able to pay all our creditors," he said, "and shall have a substantial sum left. But this will, of course, take time, as there is much real estate not easy to convert into money in the present condition of business."

The brothers will give up all they have that their debts may the more quickly be paid. This will include even their fine residence at Batavia, said to be one of the handsomest houses in the state. There is no doubt that an early sale could be had for this property if matters reach the stage where it would have to be disposed of. But the attorneys of the unforunate capitalists are confident that matters will not go so far.

Illinois State Teachers' Association.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 30.—The forty-third annual meeting of the Illinois State Teachers' association began here Tuesday night in Representatives' hall, with 600 or 800 teachers in attendance. After the opening exercises President Homer Bevans of Chicago delivered his annual address, in which he set forth at considerable length the work being accomplished by the public schools and some things needed for increasing their usefulness. He urged thorough preparation for teachers and the giving of ample power to principals, and dwelt to some extent on the virtues of patriotism and obedience.

Charge Against a Judge.

La Grange, Ind., Dec. 30.—A new feature has developed in De Kalb county's alleged shortages by the filing of an affidavit against Circuit Judge Penfield, charging him with conduct unbecoming a judge. The taxpayers will uphold the grand jury in pursuing the investigation within the strict letter of the law, as laid down by the court. Seventy-five per cent of the attendance on the court, not counting attorneys, have been subpoenaed as witnesses before the grand jury, and sensational developments are looked for in the indictments likely to be returned.

Iowa Silver Men Unite.

Des Moines, Ia., Dec. 30.—Two hundred populists, silver democrats and republicans met in conference Tuesday and issued an address to the people of Iowa, announcing that the union of all the silver forces of the state was permanent and that they would hereafter nominate the same candidates for all offices. The resolutions explain that the three factions will retain their separate state organizations, but act together. The democratic state committee elected M. F. Healy of Fort Dodge chairman.

Sherman's Tariff Views.

Washington, Dec. 30.—John Sherman is opposed to the creation of a tariff commission. He believes that present depression of business is lar ly due to a lack of government nues. A revision of the tariff publican lines he also believes time restore the prosperity country has lost during the years.

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Appeal to Britain.

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Lake Freight Combination.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 30.—At the meet- of the representatives of the lake es to be held in New York next week e Cleveland delegates will make an effort to form a big freight combination of the lake lines and the Joint Traffic association to boycott wild boats and to maintain rates.

Arbuckle Verdict Returned.

New York, Dec. 30.—The coroner's jury in the case of Frank Arbuckle of Denver, Col., who was found dead in a vacant lot in the upper part of this city one morning a few weeks ago, found a verdict that Arbuckle died from heart disease and "other unknown causes."

New Counterfeit Bill.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Chief Hazen of the secret service has issued a circular warning against a new counterfeit $10 national bank note on the Union National bank of Detroit, Mich. One distinguishing feature is that the back of the note is upside down.

Want Reciprocity with Us.

St. Johns, N. F., Dec. 30.—The Newfoundland legislature will attempt to secure reciprocity with the United States when it meets in February. The cabinet is now discussing the question.

TWO LADS CRUSHED 'NEATH THE LOGS

FATAL ACCIDENT NEAR WASHBURN, WIS.

Boys Were Riding On the Load When a Stringer Broke, and They Were Buried—The Superior Bank Tangle—Some Other State Specials.

Washburn, Wis., Dec. 30—[Special]—Mathew Musolf and Willie Charbanaw, aged ten and twelve years, were killed while riding on a load of logs. A stringer gave way, and the sled broke, crushing the boys to death.

Plan for Consolidation.

Superior, Wis., Dec. 30.—Out of the thirteen banks which were dong business a year ago only four are in existence at the present time. In view of this fact the officials of the various banks are said to be interested in a plan to reorganize and consolidate into one large institution, with a capital stock of $1,500,000, which will be able to command the business of the flour mills and elevators which now goes to Duluth. The city of Superior during the last fifteen months has lost upward of $200,000 in the failures of the city banks.

Brewers and Coopers Unite.

Miwaukee, Wis., Dec. 30.—The Coopers' union has finished negotiations by which every shop in this city will have to recognize the union. Every brewer in this city has signed a wage scale and made a contract by which all stock and repair work will have to come from union shops in the future. The large breweries here will use no kegs or barrels that do not bear the union stamp.

"Honest Henry" Was a Thief.

Antigo, Wis., Dec. 30.—Henry F. Strauss, county clerk of Langdale county, committed suicide Monday night by poison. He had been called on to surrender the county books and funds, and had secured an extension of time. He left a letter, addressed to his wife admitting that he was a defaulter the amount of $3,770.08. Strauss w a pioneer, was 72 years old, and w known as "Honest Henry Strauss."

Teachers Meet in Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Dec. 30.— he opening session of the State Te ers' association was held Tuesday ternoon in the Grand Avenue Cong ational church. The day was consu d in the reading of papers and dis sions. Today the real work of the eting will begin.

POPULIST WORK TO GO ON.

Indiana Organization Will Hold Together for Another Fight.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 30.—The populists of the state have decided that the party organization shall be maintained and that educational work shall be conducted along the lines laid down by the St. Louis convention. It was agreed that the future of the party shall be left to take care of itself, and it will be determined after the issues of the next campaign have been made up whether the party shall make an independent fight or shall be merged into the democratic party.

The effort to oust Julius Rosenheimer, chairman of the state committee, and those members who turned the organization over to the democrats in the recent campaign, failed. The radically "middle of the road" representatives of the party are dissatisfied and threaten to call district meetings for the removal of the state committeemen who worked with the democrats during the campaign.

Dr. Charles Beardsley Dead.

Burlington, Iowa, Dec. 30.—Dr. Chas. Beardsley, one of the best known residents of Burlington, died Tuesday morning. He was 66 years of age, was editor and part owner of the Burlington Hawkeye from 1865 to 1874, was state senator from 1870 to 1878, was appointed by President Hayes in 1879 as one of the coinage commission. In 1879 he was tendered a position in the war department, and six weeks later was appointed fourth auditor of the treasury. He was prominent in school and church work in the state.

Wants Silver Depositories.

Denver, Col., Dec. 30.—Gov. McIntyre has received a letter from State Senator C. W. Beale of Nebraska proposing that the Colorado legislature appropriate money to construct a depository at Denver for silver bullion. Beale's idea is to have the bullion deposited and certificates issued to be used as money by the people. Beale says if he can get any encouragement from silver-producing states he will introduce a bill to that effect in the Nebraska senate.

Murderer Franz Convicted.

Dayton, Ohio, Dec. 30.—The jury in the case of the state versus Albert Franz, tried for the murder of Bessie Little, brought in a verdict of murder in the first degree Tuesday night, having been out a little over an hour.

Mr. Gladstone's Birthday.

London, Dec. 30.—The birthday of the Right Honorable William E. Gladstone was celebrated at Hawarden Tuesday. There was the usual flood of telegrams and letters from home and abroad. The veteran statesman is enjoying excellent health. Mr. Gladstones was born Dec. 29, 1809.

IS SOLD PAY THE LIEN

"CAMBRIDGE LINE" AGAIN ABANDONED.

Its Engines Will Not Frighten Rock County Stock—Fairfield House Destroyed By Fire—Lecture Course Begins At Footville—Some Other County News.

The Chicago & Lake Superior rail way was sold at Cambridge under order of Judge Siebecker, of the circuit court, and "the new railroad" that was to "run through Rock county", will not materialize. The purchasers are George Dow, of Cambridge, and Henry Hermann, of Milwaukee, and the price was $3,500. Work on the road was begun in September, 1895, T. G. Norton, of Madison, and E. J. Foster, of Oconomowoc, being the principal promoters. The village of Cambridge agreed to subscribe for $5,000 worth of stock and a bonus of $2,000 was furnished by private subscription. A condition of both subscriptions was that the road should be in operation by Jan. 1, 1896. About three miles of the road were built and an engine was run over the track on Christmas day, 1895. The subscribers of stock refuses to pay over the money on the ground that the conditions of the road being in running operation had not been complied with Contractor Welt was unable to pay the workmen, and they began proceedings to foreclose mechanics' liens. Liens were also secured by the contractor and the men who furnished the material for the construction of the road. Judge Siebecker ordered the sale of the road to satisfy the first lien of $3,650, for a sum not less than that amount.

FIRE RAGES AT FAIRFIELD.

House Owned By Ira Enders Goes Up in Smoke.

Fairfield, Dec. 29—Late last Tuesday evening fire destroyed a tenant house owned by Ira Enders and occupied by Jerome Terwilliger. Considerable property which was saved from the fire two months ago was destroyed in this blaze. Mr. Terwilliger is having a sad experience with fire than is enjoyable. The family have taken possession of E. G. Chesebro's new tenant house. There is talk of organizing a singing class in the Hollister school house with Mr. Gage of Richmond, as leader. Hunters are on the lookout for wolves which have been feasting on J. C. Serl's flock of sheep. Dr. B... well of Johnstown Center, is att... ing Stephen Serl, instead of ... Delavan doctor, as stated in the last ... report Miss Mary Williams came out ... victorious at the last spelling contest ... Rev. C. A. R. Hobbs conducted ... a very interesting ... ed service in the ... school-house last Sunday evening ... Cottage prayers are to be held in ... neighborhood. Mr. Abner ... Chamberlain has the first one on Tuesday ... of this week. Mrs. Addie Cruning erected a fine monument to ... memory of her late husband. ... Fletcher and three daughters of ... Johnstown, spent last week at ... Serls'. There has been a number on the sick list of ... among them are Mrs. J. Dykeman ... Serl, little Lizzie Cutter, Mrs. ... Dykeman and several who have been suffering from severe colds. There were several very pleasant reunions on Christmas day.

THE NEWS OF FOOTVILLE.

Lecture Course Is Begun at the Church—Other Items.

Footville, Dec. 30—The first lecture course of five was held at the M. E. church Monday evening, and was well attended, considering the inclemency of the weather. Rev. Wilcox, D. D., of Lafayette, Ind., delivered an able lecture on "What Constitutes a Man." Born, to Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Snyder, December 23, an eight pound boy. Fred wears an 8x12 grin. Congratulations are in order. Mr. and Mrs. Webb Owen and family spent Christmas with Mrs. Owen's parents at Janesville. John Dann came home to eat Christmas dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Dann. Barnard & Wilder, of Evansville, will open up the big warehouse here next Monday, with thirty-five or forty tobacco sorters. Miss Maggie Howe is home for a short visit. Santa Claus paid us all a visit and left valuable presents with some of our friends. A 7 o'clock tea was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Owen, in honor of their daughter, Miss Louise. M. F. Murphy, of St. Paul, spent Christmas with his brother, John Murphy, and returned to work on Monday. Don't forget the social at I. U. Fisher's, Thursday, December 31. Refreshments will be served. Come and have a good time, and watch the old year out and the New Year in. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Owen entertained relatives from abroad. George Dorr, of Center is seen occasionally on our streets. Levi Ross will return to school work at Janesville next Monday His friend, Ray Owen will accompany him. Mr. Henry has gone home to spend his vacation. John Murphy's horses became unmanageable and ran away last Thursday with no serious damage. Charles Ballard, of Iowa, is visiting his cousins, Clyde and Clarence Poldridge.

Barker's Corners News.

Barker's Corners, December 29—Mr. and Mrs. Glenn of Janesville, spent Sunday with Mrs. Cross, and also attended church here. Elsie Taylor and Ezra Dutton are in school, at Milton college. Ernest Taylor, who has been sick, is improving. Edna McCulloch and Lizzie Hodge are also on the sick list. All officers of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the year 1896, will please be present next Sunday night and give in their reports. Ella Guernsey is spending her vacation in Rock Prairie. Joe Mason and wife, of Beloit, spent Christmas with their mother Mrs. Wm. Hodge. The Y. P. C. U. elected officers for the coming year as follows: President, Geo. Griffey; vice president, Jasper Dutton; secretary, Hattie Dutton; corresponding secretary, Georgie Cross; treasurer, Rev. L. L. Thayer; watch word agent, Ernest Taylor; organist, Mrs. Wm. Cox.

Johnstown Center Gossip.

Johnstown Center, Dec. 29—The M. W. A. camp of Millard will give a dramatic entertainment at Franklin hall, Saturday evening, January 2. Miss Gertrude Rockwell, of Chicago, and Miss Rockwell, of Madison, are spending the holidays at William Rockwell's. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lamb welcomed a baby boy to their home, Friday, December 25. Will Mawhinney is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Mawhinney. George and Bert Austin came home from Madison to spend Christmas. The Christmas exercises at the church were well attended.

WISCONSIN PHARMACAL COMPANY

Plans Agreed Upon for the Factory in Milwaukee.

A large number of druggists from different parts of the state gathered at the Merchants and Manufacturers' association rooms at Milwaukee yesterday afternoon, it being a stockholders' meeting of the Wisconsin Pharmacal company to make final arrangements for beginning work. Over six hundred stockholders were represented and all seemed confident of the succes of the undertaking. The factory will be located in that city. A trade mark was adopted at the meeting. The active management of the company for the present will be in the hands of the directors. Secretary Heimstreet will also give his personal attention to the work for the next four months, and will probably be in Milwaukee most of the time. The manager of the manufacturing department will be E. G. Raeuber of Milwaukee, a graduate of the Pharmacy department of the Wisconsin university.

FLINT IS DOING A BIG BUSINESS

Hypnotist is Now at Peoria—Manager Meacham Runs a School.

Herbert Flint the well known hypnotist, is once more a married man. He was at Peoria last week, and when Manager Wm. H. Stoddard saw him he was doing a big business. He and the Schiller Vaudeville company had pooled issues, the Vaudeville company putting on five turns and Flint filling out the rest of the evening. He had several new demonstrations, one being a circus in which the ring master, the clown, the living pictures and the Texas mule all figure. The house was packed every night. Flint's daughter has developed into a very skillful performer, and his wife assists him in his work.

L. F. Meacham who was Flint's manager, and had a half interest in the show for years, is now running on his own hook. Flint made up his mind that he could manage his own business and Meacham, who had saved considerable money, opened a school of hypnotism in Peoria and has a large ... George.

RUN ON FULL TIME SOON

Ten-Hour Plan at the Richardson-Norcross Factory Monday.

The Richardson-Norcross shoe factory will start up Monday, working seven hours a day. For some time past ... tuted a ... half hours have constituted ... the day's work. A representative ... look was ... that the present outlook ... the prospect ... encouraging, and that ... and summer ... good trade in spring ... was never brighter.

A ONE LEGGED BEGGAR JAILED.

Oscar Oleson Falls into The Hands of the ...

Oscar Oleson, a one-legged tramp, was landed in jail by Officer ... yesterday. Oleson was ... Acheson yesterday town and making ... begging about ... He carried a paper on ... obnoxious ... of Mayor Baines and ... the name had been forged, asking ... Moulton employes to give him free ... N. W. tion on all lines in the ... sta ports.

TO ORGANIZE THE BALL ...

Meeting Will Be Held at the Y. M. C. A. Building Tonight

This evening at the Y. M. C. A. building an effort will be made to organize six baskets ball teams for balance of the winter. A series ... games are to be played on the same plan as those of last season.

THEIR HUSBANDS INVITED IN.

Members of the Novelty Club Entertain Their Husbands Handsomely.

Members of the Novelty club entertained their husbands at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Turnville, 269 South Bluff street, last evening. An elaborate supper was served, and the hours that followed were passed at cards.

A January Stove Sale.

We offer every stove in our entire stock at about wholesale cost through January and on page 8 this evening give you a list of heaters, ranges and cook stoves with prices that should tempt you should you need a stove of any kind. Every stove remember in this stock will go at a sacrifice. All of them the best makes known. The chance to secure a good heater or range for the long, cold months to come may be never better. Think the matter over seriously. Lowell Hardware Co.

LOCAL UNION MEETS IN ANNUAL SESSION

NEW OFFICERS WERE ELECTED LAST NIGHT.

W. H. Blair Is ... the Head—Class of 1895 ... a Very Pleasant Reunion At the Hotel Myers—Plans For the Juniors' Play—Some Other Events.

President—W. H. Blair, of the Presbyterian church.

Treasurer—C. S. Cleland, of the Baptist church.

Secretary—J. W. Atkinson, of the Court Street M. E. church.

Chairman of the Good Citizenship Committee—A. E. Matheson, of the Congregational church.

These were the officers elected at the meeting of the Local Union held at the Presbyterian church last night. A social was held in connection with the meeting, and refreshments were served. Part of the provisions that remained were sold at auction, F. A. Spoon occupying the block, and two baskets of sandwiches were donated to the Door of Hope mission. Miss Jennie Spoon made her report as treasurer showing that about $200 had been used. George Hanson, the ex president presided at the meeting, and the program included:

Singing	Audience
Prayer	Rev. E. H. Pence
Solo—Lullaby	Miss Franc Edwards
Cornet Solo	Miss Leona B. Stevens
Remarks	Rev. E. H. Pence
Vocal Solo	Miss Elizabeth Palmer

Mrs. Mary Stever played the accompaniment for Miss Edwards; Mrs. Wallace for Miss Stevens; and Miss Eloise Palmer for Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Richard Hetherington, chairman of the nominating committee, submitted the names as the officers for the ensuing year, and the report of the nominating committee was adopted.

CLASS OF '96 AT A REUNION.

High School Graduates Meet at the Festal Table.

Members of the class of '96 Janesville High school held a reunion at the Hotel Myers last evening. A tempting menu was served and guitar and mandolin duets were rendered during the feast. Bernard Palmer was the toastmaster and the topics were:

"Life of a Commercial Traveler"—Carl Golling.
"Life at Ladeies' Hall"—Miss Marcia Jackman
"A La Delmonico"—Fred Blakeley.
"Our Boys"—Miss Anna Valentine.
"University Life"—Frank McNamara.
"Post Graduate Views"—Robert Knoff.
"Success of the Class of 1896"—Charles Reeder.

A piano solo by Miss Sophie K. Weisend and Miss Jeannette Ford's vocal solo "He Was a Prince" added much to the pleasure of the evening and following the program, the class song was sung, Miss Jackman acting as director with Miss Katherine Smith at the piano. The reunion was a great success and the committee of arrangements which made it so consisted of Robert Knoff, Charles Reeder, Edward Norcross, Miss Alice McGregor and Miss Katherine Smith. Those present were:

Jessie M. Brown,	Irene L. Bennett,
Jay H. Bliss,	Ruby F. Blanchard,
William M. Bonesteel,	Fred N. Blakely,
Benjamin F. Cary,	William F. Denniston,
Jennie M. Eddington,	Samuel B. Echlin,
Janet C. Ford,	Ethel I. Fisher,
Alice M. Fenton,	Carl F. Golling,
Sophie K. Weisend,	Ethel M. Halsey,
Clayton L. Holmes,	Marcia M. Jackman,
Edward M. Kay,	Robert E. Knoff,
Jessie L. Loudon,	Susie E. Lowell,
Walter D. Merritt,	Frank L. McNamara,
Edward F. Norcross,	Grace L. Nott,
Helen L. Prichard,	Bernard M. Palmer,
Edward H. Peterson,	Mabel I. Palmer,
Charles W. Reeder,	Harriet D. Rogers,
Lillian B. Rathbun,	Fannie O. Rumrill,
Maud Roethinger,	Roy A. Sanborn,
Katherine B. Smith,	Julia Belle Staddard,
Alice Shearer,	Anna D. Valentine,
Grace . Ward,	Edward L. Williamson.

REHEARSE FOR COMING PLAY.

Juniors Get Ready to Present "The Merchant of Venice."

The Junior class held the first rehearsal for the production of "The Merchant of Venice" at the home of Mrs. Janet B. Day last evening. The cast is now made up as follows:

Portia	Miss Georgia Withington
Nerissa	Miss Pearl Willey
Jessica	Miss Alma Golling
Antonio	Mark L. McNamara
Gobbo	Theo. J. Smith
Launcelot	Oliver C. Bladon
Lorenzo	Leonard J. Matthews
Shylock	John B. McElroy

Anniversary Was Marked.

Daughters of Rebekah and the Odd Fellows of Janesville City Lodge No. ... perpetrated a pleasant surprise on Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Hillabrandt last night in honor of their twentieth wedding anniversary. An oyster supper ... and both the host and hostess remembered in a permanent way ... presents. Dancing followed the ... all enjoyed themselves fu...

The Catholic League Social.

... under the ... series of entertainments ... social dances of the Union Catholic League ... came to an end with the ... night last ... played, and ... at the League ... until a late hour. Smith's orchestra ... socials will ... arrangement continued ... banquet to be ... the next series of ... with the annual ... month.

The Cinc...

Mr. and Mrs. Fra... entertained the members of the ... et. at their home, 107 S... Back ... last evening, in an ... pinch club ... was pleas...

Entertained For Mi...

Saturday evening Mr. ... Sherwood entertained a ... C.E. ... pany of young people in honor of Walter Spring, of Milwaukee.

Mrs. Lane Entertains.

Mrs. Wilson Lane pleasantly entertained the Ladies' Afternoon Euchre club this afternoon at her South Jackson street home.

ODD BITS OF LOCAL GOSSIP

New neckties are in evidence.

Charles Penny is at Lake Mills.

Days will begin to get longer shortly.

Think up your New Years' resolutions.

Miss Anna Brown has returned to Chicago.

The Married Folks club will dance tonight.

T. W. Evans was down from Madison last evening.

New umbrellas were plentiful in the streets yesterday.

Herbert Miles was down from Edgerton yesterday.

Everybody is interested in Richardson's $4 shoes.

Clemons orchestra plays this evening for a party at Rockton.

A soft answer turneth away wrath, but a soft road will turn away trade.

Members of the Light Infantry will meet for rifle practice this evening.

Burt Holloran has resigned his position with the Beloit Morning Post.

The Door of Hope Mission asks for contributions of food, clothing, etc., for the poor.

Janesville will be well represented at the State Teachers' meeting in Milwaukee this week.

Conductor William Horn is rejoicing because of the arrival of twins at his Chatham street home.

H. Hoffmaster & Son's thirty day semi-annual dry goods sale is now on. See their cut list, page 8.

L. M. Williamson, who represents Wells, Fargo & Company on the road, is home for the holidays.

The regular weekly meeting of Wisconsin Lodge No. 14, Independent Order Odd Fellows will be held at Odd Fellows hall, North Main street tonight.

Herman Baerman, who was associated with Rosenfeld, the clothier, but who is now in business for himself at Melrose Minn., is in town.

The first series of parties at the Union Catholic League hall, came to a close with last night's social. The annual banquet next month will begin a new series.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Springer, Mrs. D. Springer, H. Springer, Mrs. C. Sutton, Mrs. George Hargraves, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ash all of Edgerton, and Bert Springer of Chicago, were in the city yesterday to attend the funeral of the late Walter R. Brown.

Remember New Years Eve., Dec. 31, is the date of the annual ball of Division No. 1, A. O. H., at the Light Infantry Armory. Grand march will take place at 9 o'clock. The floor will be in charge of John J. Connolly, William P. Malone, J. M. Hayes and James Crowley. Smith's full orchestra will furnish music and supper will be served at Schmidley's restaurant.

RAILWAY BUSINESS IS QUIET.

Switch Engines and Train Crews Are Laid Off For a Time.

Quiet business on this division of the Northwestern road has resulted in the taking off of one of the night and one in the day switch engines. Five crews were laid off yesterday on account of slack business. Very little grain is being shipped now and the large ice shipments from Wisconsin points have been delayed this year on account of mild weather. When they begin to come, however, business will be booming.

OPEN HOUSE NEW YEARS DAY

The Ladies' Auxiliary Will Entertain the Young Men

New Years day will be observed at the Y. M. C. A. building by the Ladies' Auxiliary, who will keep "open house." Light refreshments will probably be served, and a program is also being arranged, to consist of different athletic sports, to be given in the gymnasium.

THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT.

Boys' Brigade social.

Married Folks' Dancing club.

Rifle practice at the Armory.

Wisconsin Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F.

Du Lac Grange to Meet

Du Lac Grange will meet to install officers in P. of H. hall Milton Junction Thursday, January 7 at 10 a. m. In the afternoon a public meeting will be held commencing at 1:30 sharp to which everybody is invited to help us discuss the question "How Can we Reduce Our Taxes; Town, County and State?" Taxes are becoming burdensome to our people. Let us meet together and see if we cannot suggest a plan to relieve them.

S. C. Carr

Biliousness

Is caused by torpid liver, which prevents digestion and permits food to ferment and putrify in the stomach. Then follow dizziness, headache, insomina, nervousness, and, if not relieved, bilious fever or blood poisoning. Hood's Pills stimulate the stomach, rouse the liver, cure headache, dizziness, constipation, etc. 25 cents. Sold by all druggists. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills

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WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP

Holiday Cloak Selling...

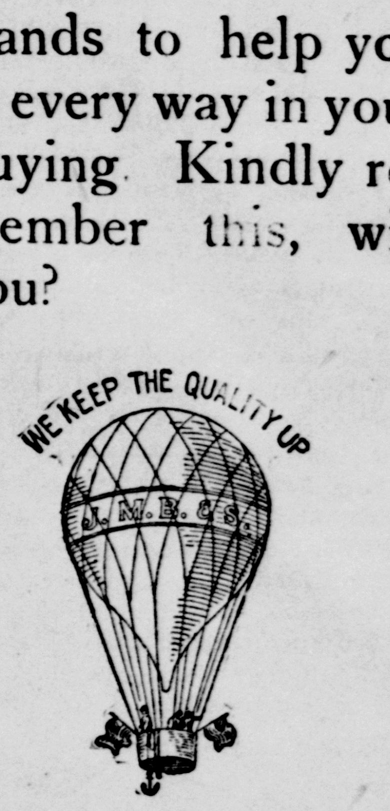
Our price inducements are making lively business. Our beautiful styles are trade getters. Women go out and look and look, but return to buy, Now there must be something that makes them. It is our great assortment, our attractive figures. While many stocks are badly broken, this store shows a complete line of sizes. Fur lined cloth capes, rich, Empire jackets, very nobby; green coats, novelty fronts, exclusive creations.

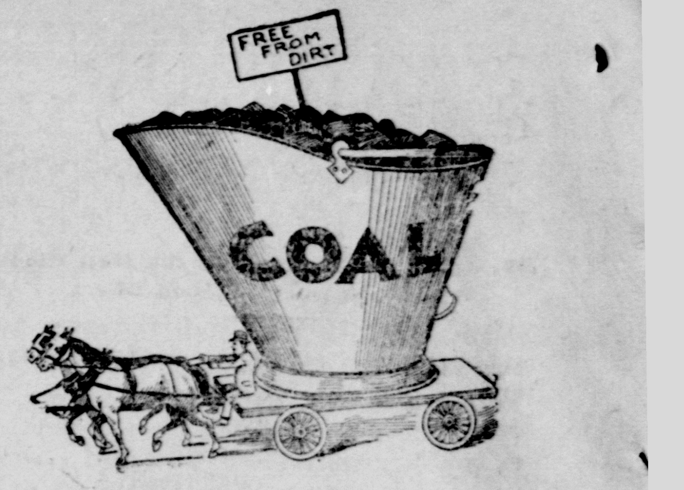
Wrapper News Extraordinary...

500 new ones. And such wrappers---so well made, firm linings, full skirts, pretty styles. $3 Chameleons and dark brocades, braid trimmed. $2.50 fine sateens. $2.25 Swansdown flannel, lovely and great sellers. $2 heavy fleeced twills. $1.25 extra heavy calico, watteau back ruffles on shoulders, extra full skirts, $1, $1.25, $1.50, large assortments, sizes to 46.

This Store

stands to help you in every way in your buying. Kindly remember this, will you?





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Our No. 2 Nut is a winner.
Our Pocahontas "smokeless" has no superior in the market.
We can supply all demands in the fuel line.

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F. E. NEUSES, Secretary.
Leave orders at Stevens' pharmacy, Main and Milwaukee streets; or at E. O. Smith & Co.'s

The Acme of Purity........

QUAKER BREAD...

P. F. GehrKe, West Side Bakery, 161 W. Milwaukee St.

NEW YEAR'S CANDIES. . .

Fancy pound boxes, assorted. 25c.
We still sell fancy chocolate creams, only 18c lb.
Home made candies of all descriptions cheaper than any one else in the city sells them.
Sweet Oranges.
Grapes.
Assorted nuts, fancy.
Everything needed to make the New Year's dinner palateable and delicious.

J. SPIVAK.
6 South Main St.

We have the finest line of carving sets ever shown in the city. We can save you money.

A. H. Sheldon & Co., Hardware, Milwaukee and Main.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES

To whom it may concern! The tax rolls and warrants for the collection of state and county taxes in the city of Janesville, Wis., are now in my hands for collection, and all persons indebted are requested to make payment thereof at the office of the city treasurer, as the same will be collected at the cost under exception of the persons liable for the payment of said taxes.

J. A. FATHERS,
City Treasurer.

Dated Janesville, Wis., Dec. 10, 1896.

Do you know that we can do your

Family Washing

for you better than you can do it yourself, and cheaper too. We have new, special machinery for this special purpose. Try us and be convinced that our work and prices are right. A postal card will bring the wagon to your door.

Janesville Steam Laundry., 13 S. Main St.

THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

EXPLORED HIS TOE WITH X-RAYS

Dr. Ralph H. Wheeler Uses the New Electrical Discovery to Good Effect.

Dr. Ralph H. Wheeler, formerly of this city, has attracted attention in Chicago, by his skillful use of the X-rays in surgical work. He used the rays a day or two ago, to locate a minute portion of a needle imbedded in a man's foot, which had for weeks escaped detection by ordinary methods.

Charles Harding, a resident of Woodlawn Park, in going about his house one night some time ago, stepped on a needle cushion, a number of the needles penetrating his foot. Unable to ascertain whether any had broken off in his foot, he called a physician who, after a careful examination, assured Mr. Harding no part of the needles remained in his foot.

Nevertheless, the foot became swollen and greatly inflamed. When the foot had become so sore he could not walk, Mr. Harding drove over to Mr. Barton of the Central Electric company, who with the use of the fluoroscope and X ray, located a fragment of a needle near the joint of the big toe in the left foot. He then called Dr. Wheeler, who took the patient to his office and removed the imbedded needle, being assisted by Dr. Dalpratt. Having definitely located the fragment by the X ray and fluoroscope, the doctors were enabled to operate without chloroform or other anaesthetics, but used cocaine locally and removed the needle without pain or danger.

Home Seekers' Excursions.

Home Seekers' round trip excursion tickets to points in Iowa, Minnesota, the Dakotas, Northern Wisconsin, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Texas, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, Indian Territory, Kansas, Arkansas, Alabama. In Florida on the Louisville & Nashville railroad North and South Carolina, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Kentucky and western portion of Colorado will be sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway at half fare plus $2 00 on January 5 and 19, February 2 and 16, March 2 and 16 and April 6 and 20, 1897

For Men.

We have just received an invoice of mens' vici kid new college toe shoes made by Strong & Garfield, all sizes. The shoes are easily worth $7, and would be sold for that by other dealers, we ask but $5 for them. Our cash plan saves you money. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

The Store of the People.

That is what this big cash store on the corner is, working men can buy their shoes, overalls, jackets, shirts, hosiery, underwear, gloves mittens etc., much cheaper than other stores sell them. Our holiday trade told a tale as to what people think of our store. Lowell Hardware Co.

Beautiful print pattings and percales are spoken of in Bort, Bailey & Co's bargain tale evening

If the Baby Is Cutting Teeth,

Be sure and use that old and well tried remedy Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Absolutely pure, perfectly harmless, and invariably reliable are the qualities of One Minute Cough Cure. It never fails in colds, croup and lung trouble. Children like it because it is pleasant to take and it helps them. C. D. Stevens.

FREE TO EVERY MAN

THE METHOD OF A GREAT TREATMENT FOR WEAKNESS OF MEN.

WHICH CURED HIM AFTER EVERYTHING ELSE FAILED.

Painful diseases are bad enough, but when a man is slowly wasting away with nervous weakness, the mental forebodings are ten times worse than the most severe pain. There is no let up to the mental suffering day or night. Sleep is almost impossible and under such a strain men are scarcely responsible for what they do. For years the writer rolled and tossed on the troubled sea of sexual weakness until it was a question whether he had not better take a dose of poison and thus end all his troubles. But providential inspiration came to his aid in the shape of a combination of medicines that not only completely restored the general health, but enlarged his weak, emaciated parts to natural size and vigor, and he now declares that any man who will take the trouble to send his name and address may have the method of this wonderful treatment free. Now when I say free I mean absolutely without cost, because I want every weakened man to get the benefit of my experience.

I am not a philanthropist, nor do I pose as an enthusiast, but there are thousands of men suffering the mental tortures of weakened manhood who would be cured at once could they but get such a remedy as the one that cured me. Do not try to study out how I can afford to pay the few postage stamps necessary to mail the information, but send for it, and learn that there are a few things on earth that although they cost nothing to get they are worth a fortune to some men and mean a lifetime of happiness to most of us. Write to Thomas Slater, Box 494, Kalamazoo, Mich., and the information will be mailed in a plain sealed envelope.

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Local Disease

and is the result of colds and sudden climatic changes.

For your Protection we positively state that this remedy does not contain mercury or any other injurious drug.

Elys Cream Balm

is acknowledged to be the most thorough cure for Nasal Catarrh Cold in Head and Hay Fever of all remedies It opens and cleanses the nasal passages, allays pain and inflammation heals the sores, protects the membrane from colds restores the senses of taste and smell Price, 50c at Druggists or by mail.

ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York

CATARRH

COLD IN HEAD

ENGLAND'S SEAL.

It Is Great in Size as Well as in Name.

Many people doubtless know that upon the accession of a new monarch to the throne of England a new seal is struck, and the old one is cut into four pieces and deposited in the tower of London. In former times the fragments of these great seals were distributed among certain poor people of religious houses. When her majesty Queen Victoria ascended the throne of England, the late Benjamin Wyon, R. A., the chief engraver of her majesty's mint, designed the beautiful work of the present great seal of England.

The details of the design are: Obverse, an equestrian figure of the queen, attended by a page, her majesty wearing over a habit a flowing and sumptuous robe, and a collar of the Order of the Garter. In her right hand she bears the scepter, and on her head is placed a regal tiara. The attendant page, with his bonnet in his hand, looks up to the queen, who is gracefully restraining the impatient charger, which is richly decorated with plumes and trappings. The legend, "Victoria dei Gratia Britainiarum Regina, Fidei Defensor," is engraved in Gothic letters, the spaces between the words being filled with heraldic roses. The reverse side of the seal shows the queen, royally robed and crowned, holding in her right hand the scepter, and in her left the orb, seated upon a throne beneath a niched Gothic canopy; on each side is a figure of Justice and Religion; and in the exergue the royal arms and crown, and the whole encircled by a wreath or border of oak and roses.

The seat itself is a silver mold in two parts, technically called a pair of dies. When an impression is to be taken or cast the parts are closed to receive the melted wax, which is poured in, so that when the hard impression is taken from the dies the ribbon or parchment is neatly affixed to it. The impression of the seal is six inches in diameter and three-fourths of an inch in thickness.—Harper's Round Table.

THE RIBBON SASH.

It Will Be Seen on Street Gowns as Well as on Evening Ones.

The wide ribbon sash is to be worn generally again this autumn, and our modistes have arranged that they shall be a part of the street costumes no less than for evening gowns. A number of new features, however, will be introduced. Hand-painted sashes and sashes with fringed ends will be seen, also those having the ends finished with an edging of feathers. Many debutantes will wear with their party gowns sashes of filmy tulle. These sashes, when tied in a big butterfly bow at the back, will give a delightfully airy touch to a costume. One way of wearing the sash will be to have it form part of the bodice, being tied in a bow on the left shoulder. Another new way is to let it start from the back and be drawn over the corsage, much like a very short bolero. Right in front it lies in a bow, with full loops and long ends. When the sash is worn around the waist it is very broad in front, tying at the back in small loops, with long ends. This is one of the favorite ways in which the sash is worn in Paris. Colors which promise to be most in favor are the new red shades. A cherry pink is one of the latest exquisite colors, also a soft, brownish cherry. Any of the new red shades in the changeable glace ribbon, with the black edge, are most effective. Also all the varying tints of violet and mauve will be fashionable. For street costumes the newest sash is of black satin, about eight inches wide. It looks much like a corselet in front, fastening with two small bows. In the back it fits the figure, and is trimmed with two rows of buttons, which give it the appearance of fastening by means of the buttons. This corselet sash is high in favor with French couturieres. — Philadelphia Times.

Disapproves of Dueling.

Old Grand Duke Charles of Saxe-Weimar, brother-in-law of the late Emperor William, and granduncle therefore of the young Kaiser, is entirely at variance with the latter on the subject of dueling, an institution of which he disapproves in the most pronounced manner. The other day, when dining at the mess of the Prussian cavalry regiment that bears his name, and of which he is the honorary chief, his attention was attracted to an officer whose face was covered with scars of sword cuts.

"How many times have you been on the field?" inquired the aged grand duke. "Sixteen times," was the response of the captain, and it was given with a certain amount of swagger.

"What a much better use you might have made of your time," retorted the prince, and with the exclamation of "What a fool!" he turned his back upon the officer, who remained literally open-mouthed with astonishment.

Had to Apply Elsewhere.

"Jones, old boy, I've left my pocketbook at home again."

"Forget it?"

"No; but there's such a lot of impecunious fellows always wanting to borrow. Let me have a dollar until I see you again."

"Too bad. I left my pocketbook at home for the same reason."

E. W. Lowell was in Edgerton.

PRICES IN JANESVILLE MARKETS

Quotations On Grain and Produce as Reported For the Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market.

Flour—Good to best Patent, $1.10 to $1.25 per sack.

Buckwheat Flour—25c per 10 lb. sack.

Wheat—Fair to best quality 65 @ 75c

Buckwheat—30 @ 35c per 52 lbs.

Rye—At 37 @ 40c per 60 lbs

Barley—Ranges at 18c @ 24c according to quality.

Corn—Old, 18 @ 20c; new, per 75 lbs., 14 @ 15c

Oats—white, 13c @ 15c.

Clover Seed—$3.00 @ $3.75 per bushel

Timothy Seed—80c @ $1.00 per bushel.

Hay—Per ton, $7.00 @ $7.50.

Straw—$4.00 @ $5.00 per ton.

Meal—50c per 100 lbs. Bolted $1.00

Feed—50c @ 60c per 100 lbs. $10.00 per ton.

Bran—45c per 100 lbs; $8.00 per ton.

Middlings—50c per 100, $9.00 per ton

Potatoes—20c @ 25c per bushel.

Butter—16c @ 18c.

Eggs—17c @ 18c per dozen.

Poultry—Turkeys, 9 @ 10 chickens, 6 @ 7.

Wool—11c @ 14c for washed; 8c @ 11c for unwashed.

Hides—Green, 5c @ 6c; dry, 8c @ 9c.

Pelts—Range at 15c @ 45c each.

Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the board of trade today:

ARTICLES.	High.	Low.	Closing Dec. 29	Closing Dec. 28
Wheat—Dec.	$ .80⅜	$ .78¾	$ .80⅜	$ .78⅛
May	.83⅞	.82¼	.83¾	.82
July	.79⅝	.77⅛	.79⅜	.76⅞
Corn—Jan.	.23	.22⅝	.23⅛	.22¾
May	.25⅞	.25⅜	.25⅜	.25⅜
July	.26⅞	.26¼	.26¾	.26¼
Oats—Dec	.16¾	.16⅝	.16⅝	.16½
January	.....	.....	.....	.16⅞
May	.20⅛	.19⅞	.20⅛	.19⅞
Pork—Dec	.....	.....	.....	6.75
January	7.57½	7.45	7.52½	7.60
May	7.90	7.77½	7.80	7.90
Lard—Dec.	.....	.....	.....	3.70
January	3.80	3.75	3.80	3.80
May	4.00	3.95	3.97½	4.00
Sh't r'bs—Dec	.....	.....	.....	3.85
January	3.77½	3.72½	3.75	3.80
May	3.97½	3.92½	3.95	4.00

To cure all old sores, to heal an indolent ulcer, or to speedily cure piles, you need simply apply De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve according to directions. Its magic-like action will surprise you. C D. Stevens.

Reason for It.

"De Simbe is very polished."

"Yes; you see he has rubbed up against the best people."—Philadelphia North American.

When tempted to be cast down and discouraged, remember that you have a right to hope, because there is a God of Hope.—Ram's Horn.

Holiday Excursions.

For the Christmas and New Year holidays the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell excursion tickets to points within a two hundred mile limit at a fare and a third for the round trip on Dec. 24 25 and 31, 1896, and January 1, 1896, final return limit up to and including Jan. 4.

The length of life may be increased lessening its dangers. The majority of people die from lung troubles. These may be averted by promptly using One Minute Cough Cure. C. D. Stevens.

Taking Care of Him Nights.

Rob is the nicest baby,
He hardly ever cries;
And, oh, he is just too lovely,
When he shuts his dark blue eyes!
Don't you wish you could see him?
It is worth a thousand sights!
"I guess you wouldn't think so
If you had to take care of him nights!"

I'm glad he is just so little!
Wait till he slams the doors,
Wait till he stamps, and shouts, and screams
Until he shakes the floors!
Wait till he wears great rubber boots,
And teases for balls and kites,
"I guess you'd be glad to have him grow
If you had to take care of him nights!"

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Two Scotch collie puppies. Finder get reward by leaving same at McCue's livery.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT Seven-room house on Cornelia 2d ward. Enquire at 158 Cornelia St. In good repair, Nicely located.

FOR RENT—House in Spring Brook. A. P. Burnham.

FOR RENT—House No. 14 Milton avenue. Enquire of H. G. Carter.

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FOR SALE Two boilers suitable for factory work. Inquire at this office.

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WANTED—A hundred pounds of good wiping rags, at The Gazette office.

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WANTED—Salesman; salary paid weekly, experience unnecessary; permanent. Brown Brothers Co., Chicago.

WANTED—By Prudential Insurance Company, two men. permanent position. Call Thursday afternoon. Room 4, Lappin block, city.

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We have twenty shares of Janesville Machine Company stock for sale. Make us an offer for all, or any part of it. Dunwiddie & Wheeler.

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A Winter Patent Leather with the extension sole, — a regular $6 shoe.

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THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

SIR SAMUEL BAKER.

40—Titus, Roman emperor, born; died 81.
1504—Queen Isabella of Spain, patron of Columbus, died; born 1451.
1787—Otto von Kotzebue, explorer of the coast of Russian America, born in Revel, Russia; died there 1846.
1851—Lajos (Louis) Kossuth, Hungarian patriot and exile, visited Washington on invitation of congress. He died at Turin, where he had passed many years in exile, in 1894, aged 92.
1861—The banks in New York, Philadelphia and Boston suspended specie payment; laws were passed in the various states to protect the banks from penalties; specie payment was resumed early in 1879.
1893—Sir Samuel White Baker, the noted African explorer, died at Newton-Abbot, Devonshire; born 1821.
1894—The Delavan House burned at Albany; 16 lives lost. Amelia Jenks Bloomer, reformer, who introduced the "bloomer" costume, died in Council Bluffs, Ia.; born 1818.

NEW YORK AND JOHN C. SPOONER.

Republicans in other states pay tribute to John C. Spooner in a way very gratifying to Wisconsin. The New York Mail and Express sums up eastern sentiment by saying:

"When it became known that the Wisconsin legislature had become strongly republican, the question of the succession to Senator Vilas became at once a topic of lively discussion. Every newspaper in the state took it up, each expressing the local sentiment of the community, and it is a remarkable compliment to ex-Senator John C. Spooner that with practical unanimity the republican press of the state have declared that he should again be chosen to the senate. The sentiment of the members of the legislature coincides with that expressed in the local papers, and it is believed that Mr. Spooner will be chosen by acclamation.

"Spooner has had no machine behind him, bound to his personal interests by the cement of coin, and the promises of office. He has been a private citizen for six years, attending strictly to his private business. He has no bureau of country newspapers receiving periodical bulletins extolling the virtues of the 'boss,' and bound to him by printing jobs, or by loans during hard times, or by money collected for campaign funds. He sent no personal checks to members of the legislature, the most of whom meet which was ... wealthy corporations and ... fear of attack in the legislative session. Mr. Spooner's election will be an instance of the honor seeking the man, and the newspapers have, by their independent action, crystallized the sentiment in his behalf."

APPLEBY FOR CHIEF.

W. H. Appleby's personal worth, executive ability and official experience make his selection as chief of police desirable. Not one man in fifty has in him the making of a good police officer. A combination of courage, tact and intuitive judgment in high degree is required. Sheriff Appleby is splendidly endowed along these lines. Those who have watched his work most critically pronounce him the strongest officer the county ever has known. This is said without reflecting in any way upon Officer Hogan's acknowledged merit.

Sheriff Appleby's ability as an organizer; his aptitude for handling men and his faculty for getting the greatest effect with the least effort. All commend him very highly in the present instance. His experience in city police work has been ample. His success in purging Beloit's plague spot, "The Willows," in spite of the hindrance offered by the state line, is well remembered. Single-handed he transformed Beloit from a tramps' rendezvous to the most orderly city in the state. Janesville—interested in getting the best possible police department for the least money—cannot afford to miss the opportunity to secure his services.

A TAX THAT IS A TAX.

It will surprise many to learn that during the last fiscal year the internal revenue receipts were nearly as much as the receipts from customs. That is to say, exactly speaking, the internal taxes yielded $146,830,615.66 and the tariff duties $160,121,751.67 and over $90,000,000 more came from miscellaneous sources. It will be seen, therefore, that the government does not derive even one-half of its support from the tariff system.

The Third ward republicans who let personal spite run away with them last spring and elected a democratic alderman over a progressive and efficient republican, can take a share of blame to themselves for the tangle in the common council. Chickens come home to roost and seed sown at spring elections seldom fails to bear fruit within the year.

Legislators say if they have to pay railroad fare the state must restrain Madison hotel keepers from charging them $1.50 for beef a-la-mode, baked potatoes and pie. A $500 salary is nowhere in the face of such a drain.

If lack of railroad passes would keep legislators at home, and reduce the number of new laws Assemblyman Hall's bill would be endorsed from one end of the state to the other.

The Newest Star.

First Theater Manager—What is all this talk about your having got hold of a new star, who is to drive the town wild?

Second Theater Manager—All true, every word of it; crowded houses assured for months.

"Is he a tragedian or comedian?"

"Um—he isn't much of either, but he can swim like a fish, and we're goin' to have the biggest tank on the continent."—N. Y. Weekly.

Feminine Strategy.

Confidential Friend (to young wife)—Your husband must have the best of tempers; you have been more than an hour dressing to go out with him, and he has not once called out to ask if you are ready.

Young Wife—Oh! I always hide his gloves, cigar-case, and spectacles before I commence dressing; then when I am dressed, I find them for him, and he apologizes for having kept me waiting.—Tit-Bits.

A New Road to Renown.

Ef I should go ter congress, I wouldn't make no speech,
Ner make a motion every time a chance come in my reach;
And in a little while my fame through nations would be heard
Ez him thet sot a session through an' never said a word.
—Washington Star.

HEARD IN BOSTON.

Visitor—My! how your little boy grows.

Mrs. Commonwealth—Yes; we intend to put him in spectacles next week.—N. Y. Journal.

Speculation vs. Theft.

Tom, Tom, piper's son,
Stole a pig and away he run.
But pork went up, enabling Tom
To pay the man and still retain
A handsome margin for his gain.
—Chicago Journal.

These Worldly Women.

A friend called on a worthy divine, who had been offered a bishopric. The daughter of the house met him at the door.

"Is your father going to accept it?" he inquired.

"Well," the young lady replied, demurely, "father is praying for guidance in the library. Mother is packing up."—Tit-Bits.

Incendiary Remark.

S[he]—Do you think smokeless powder [will] be used in war?

He—I know it; when I accused Miss Redmond of it the other evening we immediately went to war.—Washington Times.

One Material Mean.

[Ma]rried I have since I have been married taste. ... my husband good

Another—Re... for you that you it's a good thing for e you were mamot teach him before.—N. Y. Tribune.

The Retort.

Dawson—What is for... I ask? business, may

Boorish Stranger—... sir. That's my business gentleman, Dawson—Ah! you fail... and Ends. ...ce.—Odds

Changed.

Parke—I can remember b... married that I was tired of e... I was—utterly blasé.

Lane—Things are different no...

"I should say so; now it's a real ... ure to go to the club."—Brooklyn...

Sure Presentiment.

"Au revoir!" plaintively murmur[ed] the young poet, as he dropped the lates[t] effort of his muse into the mail box.

It was a poem entitled: "My Pet Cat," and it came back.—Chicago Tribune.

No Story Wanted.

"The story of my life," he began, "is a tragedy."

"So?" queried the listener. "Well, there does not seem to be any vociferous demand for an encore."—N. Y. Truth.

Foundation for His Greatness.

"How did you get the reputation of being such a great connoisseur of art?"

"Whenever I saw a picture that seemed to me particularly ridiculous, I declared that it was sublime!"—Odds and Ends.

He Couldn't Leave It.

Mamie—Jack didn't remove his arm from around my waist but once during the entire evening.

Ada—What was the matter then?

"He had to go home."—Town Topics.

CITY TALES TOLD IN A LINE.

UNION drips syrup at Nolan Bros.'

DID you notice Richardson's $4 shoe window?

$1.75 ladies' shoes at $1.25 at Lowell's.

NUMBER 9 copper boilers only $1.85 each. Lowell.

MEN'S $1.75 shoes, lace or congress, for $1.35. Lowell.

LARGE assortment of granite ware, new goods just in. Lowell.

THE few second hand stoves we have go at bargains. Lowell.

WE have two ladies $9 fur capes $4.50 each takes them. Lowell.

WATERVILLE cutlery is the best made. We warrant it. Lowell.

MRS. H. R. JOHNSON, 215 Terrace street, is confined to her room with rheumatism.

SKATES for the big girl, big boy, small boy, all clamp, only 25 cents a pair. Lowell.

ANOTHER lot of Mrs. Potts sad irons at 65 cents a set, of nickel plated three. Lowell.

FROM now until Saturday we will sell our ladies $1.76 shoes for $1.25. Lowell Hardware Co.

TIN work and stove work ought to be done by experienced men. Every man in our line is experienced. Lowell Hardware Co.

BUTTER is scarce, that is, good butter is. We received a large invoice of Northern Dairy yesterday and can supply all wants. Nolan Bros, Telephone 172.

THE Recorder's knowledge of public men seems to be limited. In this morning's issue they speak of "Mark Hanna" as having sent President Vankirk of the Business Men's association a letter asking that a meeting be held to elect delegates to a monetary conference. The meeting is called by H. H. Hanna, the noted financier. But of course the Recorder knows nothing about the great financiers of the country, as it is for free silver.

JOHN LEAHEY, the veteran Chicago & Northwestern switch tender, was stricken with paralysis while on duty at 5:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and the patrol ambulance was called to take him to his home, 568 Pleasant street. Dr. W. H. Palmer and Dr. Joe Whiting attended him. Conductors Morris J. and David N. Leahey were notified of their father's dangerous condition, and came up from Chicago last night. Conductor J. J. Leahey, of this city, is also with him.

JANESVILLE people will be interested in the following clipping from the Cerro Gordo County, Iowa, Republican: "The twentieth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Vandenburg was celebrated at their pleasant home on Saturday evening. About fifty persons constituted the surprise party, which was royally entertained. A bountiful supper was served and the remainder of the evening passed quickly by in social chats and playing of games. Several presents were extended the couple with the best wishes of their friends for a long and joyous life."

L. M. B. S. Take Notice.

The L. M. B. S. will meet with Mrs. H. G. Loyd, Thursday, January 7 1897, at 10:30 o'clock. Dinner at 12 o'clock, sharp. A full attendance is desired. Mrs. H. G. Loyd, President; Mrs. S. H Joiner, Secretary.

On a Par with United States Oil.

Rome, Dec. 30.—It is announced that Italy has agreed to accord to Russian petroleum the same facilities as it now accords to the United States article. Hence the new commercial convention between the two countries will be concluded soon.

To the Credit of the Crow.

Mr. Merriam, Professor Barrows and Mr. Schwarz, in a recent bulletin of the Department of Agriculture, take up the cudgels in defence of the crow. According to them he does more good than harm, and is in reality the farmer's friend. Only 3 per cent of his food consists of sprouting corn and corn in the milk, the other 97 per cent comprising waste grain, grasshoppers, weevils, beetles and other injurious insects.

VIRTUE ITS OWN REWARD.

Here Is One Woman Who Firmly Believes It.

"I have been young and now am old," said one of the charming middle-aged women of the period, whose looks belie the baptismal register, and who rather enjoy arrogating to themselves the wisdom and experience of age, says the New York Tribune. "And I have reached that period of life," she continued, "when I can look back and see results and note how seldom those who are born with silver spoons in their mouths, as the saying is, have the silver fork when they are grown up. When I look back and remember who were the jeunesse doree of my youth—the men whose lives and positions above all others seemed particularly enviable and desirable—and then look about me and see how few of those who were called men of pleasure in those days have attained an honorable and useful middle age, I feel that I can preach a sermon to my boys and their friends with object lessons that ought to make it very impressive. Some are poor, having spent health and substance, like the prodigal son, in riotous living. Even those who have apparently not suffered in purse or health are a set of discontented, blase, weary worldlings, who go over the same treadmill of fashionable existence year by year without pleasure or profit. Another thing I have noticed from my vantage ground of a lifelong experience is that, if only as a purely worldly maxim, honesty is certainly the best policy. Many a brilliant man I have seen who has destroyed his prospects by the crooked ways in which he sought to better himself financially, politically, and even socially, whereas if he walked honorably before all men he would have gained the world's good opinion, and in many instances the very things he coveted. And finally there are the young married couples of my youth. In nine cases out of ten those of my friends who married poor young men, and who gave up the luxuries of their homes to prove veritable helpmeets to the men of their choice, are now almost without exception prosperous, and in many cases, wealthy, while those men and girls who married for money are, as a rule, greatly in want of it. 'Be good and you will be happy' is the old maxim, and certainly it seems true from a materialistic as well as from a religious point of view."

Mark Hanna Would Be Senator.

Cleveland, Dec. 30.—It is stated upon the highest authority that Hon. M. A. Hanna aspires to be a senator of the United States as a colleague of Senator Foraker and as successor to Hon. John Sherman. This is the chief ambition of the republican manager, despite the fact that he is more talked of for a cabinet position than any man in the Republican party. If Mr. Hanna enters the cabinet it will not be as secretary of the treasury, but as postmaster-general.

Appropriate.

At a recent meeting of railroad engineers the following toast was offered: "To our mothers—the only faithful tenders who never misplaced a switch."

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THE SHOE MEN B[E]NNETT & CRAM, ON THE BRIDGE

The Compliment of imitation has so frequently been paid by its contemporaries to the Philadelphia : : Record in recent years that those of their readers who are not thoroughly

Wide Awake would almost be excusable if they should occasionally lose sight of the fact that a born

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When "The Philadelphia Record" undertook nineteen years ago to demonstrate that the best of morning newspapers could be made and sold for one cent, publishers were generally skeptical. But the world of readers was not asleep. Consequently "The Record" was not long in reaching a commanding position, and, improving upon this, its circulation and influence were finally recognized as one of the foremost of America's great journals. Hence the compliment of imitation which is now paid to it in every city of note from the Atlantic coast to the Mississippi Valley. Every city worth mentioning now has one or more good one-cent morning dailies, though so recently as only 19 years ago Philadelphia and "The Record" stood alone in this respect.

News Concisely Published without the omission of any essential feature is still the BEST NEWS, notwithstanding the once more prevalent tendency to pad it and stretch it out.

The Busy Man's Paper therefore still originates, still leads, and publishes MORE NEWS to the column than its neighbors of larger dimensions.

The Daily and Sunday Record

With their several inimitable and always instructive features in addition to the day's news from all the world, are now almost unrivalled in circulation as in good qualities With an average circulation of over 160,000 copies, and an average of about 120,000 on Sundays. "The Record" is still, regardless of all imitation, easily a leader of the leading newspapers. A paper so good, with 10 to 14 pages for one cent, is still very properly a favorite. Though low in price, it is never cheap, but spares no expense that will give its readers the very best and freshest information of all that's going on around them.

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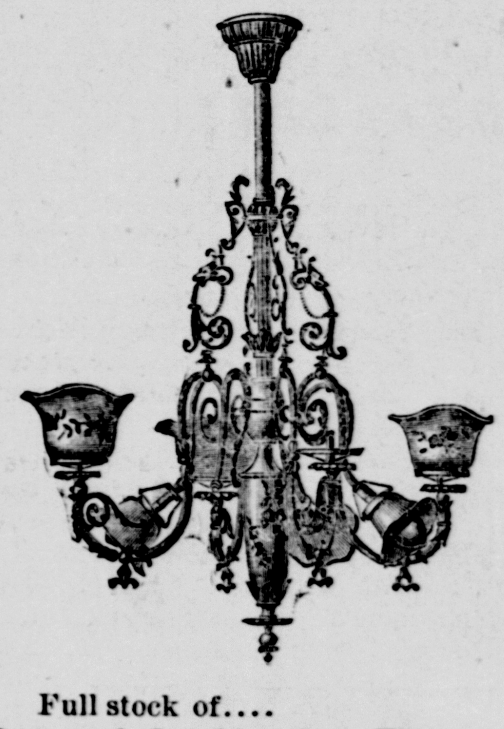

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Loose Muscatel raisins, very fancy, 8c lb.
Choice seedless raisins, 8c lb.
Fancy table currants, 7c lb.
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Choice new dates, 7c lb.
Fancy figs, 10c lb.
Fancy Turkish prunes, 10c lb.
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Dried blackberries, 10c lb.
Dried raspberries, 25c lb.
1 lb. choice black pepper, 25c.
2 bars choice turkish bath soap, 5c.
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American Family soap, 6 bars 25c.
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Spring Brook Sausage

It's made from selected pork and catches the palate of select people. Fifteen cents a pound is all we ask for it; it's worth eighteen though. Sausages of all kinds. We make any of them good.

LARD.

Did you ever try our home made Lard? Nothing like it for purity. It's the making of it and the stuff in it that makes it good.

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A Blacksmith's Story.

I was working as a blacksmith and horse shoer when my health failed to such a degree that I was unable to do any work and was suffering greatly from kidney trouble and the whole nervous system seemed entirely beyond control. I was treated by local remedies and employed several physicians with little or no benefit. I then consulted M. A. Morehouse, a specialist, who prepared remedies for me which were used with the most gratifying result. In a very short time I was not only able to resume work as a blacksmith but also to stand under and shoe horses from morning until night with as little fatigue as in former years, and I did the work of a strong, healthy man all that winter.

The medicines prepared for me were not only wonderfully prompt in their action but the benefit received permanent and lasting.

SAMUEL MORGAN.
Wevertown, N. Y., May 1st, 1896.

This specialist, M. Alden Morehouse, is now permanently located in this city, at 53 North Franklin street, and will give free consultation and advice to all who call.

A Few Good Things for

ON HAND.

Collars and Cuffs, Shirts, Night Shirts, Caps, Gloves, Umbrellas, Studs and Buttons, Hats, Stockings, Suspenders, and some other things.

They Must Go.

Take them at cost. We have one Smoking Jacket, size 34; if it will fit you can have a bargain. Mackintoshes from $3 up, at the

Kneff & Allen store.
FRED L. CLEMONS., Assignee

CITY OWES NOTHING TO JOHN W. HOGAN

HE HAS NO MORTGAGE ON THE TOWN.

Has Been Paid For All He Did—Work Against Republicans While Drawing Salary They Voted to Him—There Are No Traitors Among the Republican Aldermen.

John W. Hogan's "mortgage on the city of Janesville" has expired by limitation.

He can now collect just what is due him, and no more. The day when "Hogan was the whole thing" has passed.

He is an active and aggressive politician, he has made his bed with the politicians, and with them he must lie.

The Recorder waxes frantic on the subject of John W. Hogan.

Why?

Because he is a democrat—nothing else.

The four democratic aldermen are solid for him.

Why?

Because he is a democrat—nothing else.

None of these democrats can truthfully say that John W. Hogan will make a better marshal than W. H. Appleby.

But they are for Hogan, first last and all the time.

Why?

Just because he is a democrat.

They say "they think he ought to have the place," but they do not add "because he is a democrat," although that is the controlling reason.

People Take Care of Him.

John W. Hogan has been taken care of by the people of Janesville for seventeen years. He has been thrifty. When he worked for $50 a month he prospered. The wolf is not scratching at his door now—thanks to the people of the city of Janesville.

The city of Janesville now pays him $90 a month. John Brown, an equally efficient officer, who began police work under Marshal Alex. Russell, gets but $60. John Brown is a republican, but he has not made himself obnoxious. He has not crammed his political beliefs down the throats of the people who hire him. He has attended to his own business, and has made an ideal officer. Hence, his political views in no way influence his position. He is a good man for the place, and is holding it for that reason. A democratic mayor has appointed him, as democratic mayors have appointed him before—because he is an efficient officer who attends to his own business, and lets other people do the same.

Caused His Own Trouble

With John W. Hogan, the conditions are different. He was appointed a member of the police force by a republican mayor, but his party services did not cease when he assumed a municipal position. He has always been an ardent campaigner. Last fall he brought this trouble on his own head, by taking an active part in politics. He was not backward at all in telling people of the advantages of free silver and many people condemned him for it. He mixed politics with his business in a liberal manner and made himself disliked therefor. Then, he, thought, it was all right to mix politics with police work. Now, when the seed he sowed himself is ripe and is ready for the harvest, he holds up his hands in holy horror and says "the police department should be divorced from politics."

John W. Hogan has sowed to the winds and is reaping the whirlwind. It is his own fault. He forced people to recognize his political failings and for him to ask for republican support now, is effrontery to the republicans whom he has opposed, tooth and nail, ever since he cast his first ballot.

People Owe Him No Favors

There are no favors due John W. Hogan from the citizens of Janesville. He has been well paid for all he has done and will be well paid for all he will do.

That he is an efficient officer is admitted but for him to ask favors of republicans after his years of active work against them, is preposterous.

Members of the police force should not be appointed because of any political perference. They should hold their position as long as they are competent. But with with the chief police it is different in this case. If Officer Hogan had kept out of politics he would not be opposed by republicans as such opposition has never been apparent before. The chief of police is the head of a city department. It is no place for a politician. John W. Hogan is a politician by choice. He seems to think that as a city employe he can do all the wire pulling that he wants to for his democratic friends, yet no citizen can have the hardihood to criticize him. In plain English, he seems to think that while the people can expect nothing from him except what he has a mind to give them; he, in turn, is entitled to anything that he asks of the people.

Aldermen Not Traitors.

The republican common council will now clip his wings. If John W. Hogan owns this city, he can appoint himself chief of police. If he does not own the people, the people will name their own chief of police.

No republican alderman can vote for John W. Hogan. Party duty will compel them to vote against him. The Gazette does not believe that there are traitors in the republican camp. Therefore, if the Gazette, confidently predicts the election of W. H. Appleby as chief of police, and hopes that his assistants will be John W. Jogan and John Brown.

While many people insist that Officer Hogan should be removed from the force because of "offensive partisanship," and some man who will not mix politics with his work, be named as his successor, there are others who think he should retain his present position with the understanding that political offensiveness is responsible for his failure to be advanced. It is about time the republicans of the city of Janesville turned on this man who has always opposed them while drawing the salary they voted to him. Teach him a lesson now, when the efficiency of his opponent insures that the lesson shall not be taught at the expense of the efficiency of the department.

This is the party duty of the aldermen—and there are no Benedict Arnolds among them.

GOSSIP FOR JANESVILLE FOLK

$4 Richardson.

Ice men despond.

Skaters are wary.

The fog hangs low.

Money to loan. S. D. Grubb.

Boys' heavy oil grain shoes at $1 a pair. Lowell.

Rev. A. C. Smith will lead the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon.

Jackets and capes at less than half price at T. P. Burns.

Many hogs were received at the local stock yards today.

C. E. Wilcox and W. A. Nichols have joined the Y. M. C. A.

Street Commissioner Watson's men were out in full force today.

A 40 cent syrup for 25 cents; union drips, clear and pure. Nolan Bros'.

Another 'bus line is now in operation in the business part of the city.

Decorated stand lamps pretty and cheap, 95 cents takes them. Lowell.

Alderman Henry Stearns was confined to his bed yesterday, by illness.

Don't fail to hear Booker T. Washington, the great negro statesman, Friday night.

We still sell four pounds pure leaf lard for 25 cents. Nolan Bros', next to Grand Hotel.

Several improvements are being made upon the James Gardener shop on South Bluff street.

Union drips syrup, clear as crystal, pure as can be; 25 cents a gallon. Nolan Bros', telephone 172.

Union drips syrup clear as crystal, worth 40 cents a gallon. We sell it at 25 cents a gallon. Nolan Bros.

The cash plan makes it possible for Richardson to sell you the best $5 and $6 shoes made at $4 this week.

Orders for piano or organ tuning left with S. C. Burnham & Co., always receive prompt and careful attention.

Our new round toe patent leather shoes at $4 are dressy shoes for men, the regular $5 kind. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

Tans, calfs, patent leathers, all reduced to the popular price, $4; all worth from $5 to $6. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

There is a new boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weyh, of North street. Mr. Weyh is a cutter for J. Weisend.

Bancroft, the magician, and his company were in the city today, being on their way from Milwaukee to Rockford.

The using of Pearl White or Vienna flour once, means a second order. Every sack personally guaranteed. J. M. Shackleton.

Stylish capes and jackets are lower in price at our store than any other in the city, no matter what the heavy advertisers say.

The Young People's club of Trinity church will hold a watch meeting at Miss Nellie Kimball's, Maple Court, Thursday evening.

A number of school teachers were in the city today, being on their way to Milwaukee to attend the meeting of the State association.

Mr. Washington who lectures here Friday night is the same one who made the opening address at the great Atlanta exposition last winter.

Editor Libby, of the Evansville Enterprise, says: "Some people never find out the value of religion and their local paper, until they come to die."

The case of L. B. Gregory vs. Christopher Johnson was argued before Judge Bennett today. Further hearing was continued until tomorrow at 9 o'clock.

L. B. Caswell appeared before Judge Bennett today, and on his motion the mortgage from James Chapman and wife to Mary Ann Chapman was discharged.

Capt. S. M. Smith will speak of "My Experience as an Adjutant" and Capt. I. F. Wortendyke will speak of "Natural Gas" at the entertainment to be given by the Presbyterian Boys' Brigade tonight.

The next attraction on the People's Lecture Course comes this week Friday night when the Hon. Booker T. Washington, the great negro writer and statesman lectures. The coming of Mr. Washington is quite an event and no one should fail to see him. The price for single admission has been placed at twenty-five cents and arrangements are being made for a crowd.

A delightful company was given last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Searles, 126 Pearl street. The guests were Messrs. and Mesdames C. Chapin, S. Jessup, W. E. Wisner, M. McDonald, F. B. Hayes, George Bennett, Willis Taylor, George Warren and E. Howland. Mesdames: J. Taylor and M. Conroy. Messrs.: D. Wright F. D. Slawson, O. H. Fessenden, J. E. Sutton, Milwaukee and J. F. Wisner, Rockford.

WILL NOT ABANDON STREET CAR LINE

CHANCES ARE THAT CARS WILL RUN SOON.

Citizens Plan to Raise Money to Build a New Power House—Mr. Blabon Wants Supt. Cummins to Stay—The Latter Recommends Improvements and Extensions.

A movement is now on foot to raise money by popular subscription to build a new power house for the street railway company, and present it to Mr Blobon.

The move is being planned by citizens who are interested in keeping the line in operation, and it is said that a committee will begin an active canvass soon.

Several contributions have been offered so for.

The insurance adjusters have decided that the power house building is a total loss, and will pay the policy in full. They did not, however, feel qualified to pass upon the matter of the damage to the machinery, and other adjusters will come here to arrange that part of it. Superintendent Cummins has appointed Captain Pliny Norcross to act as expert in behalf of the company.

The fact that the line is not to be abandoned if Janesville people want it to run, is shown by the letter received by Supt. Cummins today. In this letter Mr. Blabon asked Supt. Cummins to reconsider his resignation and remain in Janesville, thus indicating that he intended to resume business if possible. Mr. Blabon has listened to the advice of Mr. Cummins heretofore, as he recognizes in him a thoroughly competent manager.

Cummins Recommends Changes.

This fact may tend to help Janesville, and improve the line, as Mr. Cummins has confidence in this city and tells Mr. Blabon so. His answer to Mr. Blabon's proposition to remain in Janesville will be along this line. He will tell Mr. Blabon that if the line is equipped with new and adequate motive power, more and better cars, and the line placed on a basis where it will pay, he will stay here. People who have claimed to know, have said that extensions of the line had been contemplated for some time. Therefore they are inclined to think that Mr. Blobon will accept Mr. Cummins' proposition and invest some more money to protect what he now has invested in the line.

One extension, in particular, is said to be favored, and while the expense would be comparatively small, the revenue therefrom would be quite large, it is said.

In case a new power house is built it would not be located on the present site, but at some place better adapted to the uses required. The committee of citizens have been casting about for a suitable location today.

THEY PLAN TO REORGANIZE.

Changes Planned in Odd Fellows Insurance Future.

A meeting of the officers of the Wisconsin Odd Fellows' Mutual Life Insurance company was held at Milwaukee, at which it was decided to reorganize the company. In order to do this it is proposed to ask the legislature at its coming session to amend the charter in several ways. One of these is to allow them to increase the assessments. The suits against the delinquents are to be pushed, and it is hoped in this manner to collect nearly $100,000 claimed to be due the company, with which to meet about $60,000 which the company owes in death claims.

DR. H. J. WARDLAW LEAVES SOON

He Will Go To California in Search of Health.

On account of failing health, Dr. H. J. Wardlaw will leave Janesville in about two weeks for California. He disposed of his dental business this morning to Dr. O. J. Palmer who has lately moved here from Elgin. Dr. Wardlaw arrived in this city last January and during the time he has made numerous friends who wish him success in his new field.

POOR TO GET $53.10 FROM PARTY

The Leap Year Party was Quite a "Charity Ball."

President W. G. Palmer of the Associated Charities, received this morning the largest cash donation of the year—$53.10. The money was the net profit of the leap year party given in the Armory last Saturday night. Individual cash donations of $5 have also been received, and the treasury is in better shape today than it has been in some time.

BUSINESS MEN MEET MONDAY

Meeting To Elect Delegates Postponed a Few Days.

President Vankirk, of the Business Men's association, announces that the meeting of the association to elect delegates to the monetary convention, will be held next Monday evening, instead of on Thursday evening, as was first announced. Thursday night will be New Year's eve, so the change was decided upon.

CUPID'S WORK WELL DONE

Willis—Richison.

Dr. Robert Willis and Miss Nellie C. Richison of Brodhead, were married at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Court Street M. E. church parsonage by the Rev. Sabin Halsey.

All the odds and ends in underwear left in our store will be sold at cost and below cost, the $1.00 kind go at 49 cents, etc Lowell.

WHERE THEY WENT OR CAME FROM.

C. B. Evans, to Monroe.

Harry Born, to Hanover.

Phil Freider, from Elgin.

B. H. Pulker, to Rockford.

H. A. Baker, from Chicago.

Perry Brown, from Madison.

Clarence Rowe, to Madison.

H. W. Child, from Edgerton.

Thomas Taber, from Madison.

W. A. Mhybew, from Clinton.

Wallace Nash, to Edgerton.

S. T. Campbell, from Chicago.

N. B. Robinson, to Stoughton.

F. M. Marzluff, to Cincinnati.

J. M. Tayer, to Fort Atkinson.

George Williamson, to Chicago.

E. O. Kimberly, from Brodhead.

Miss Winifred Fox, to Milwaukee.

C. C. Carr and family, from Albany.

Attorney Towne, from Edgerton.

Dr. J. M. Evans, from Evansville.

M. J. Dougherty, to Fond du Lac.

Dr. Robert Willis, from Brodhead.

Washington Barriage to Edgerton.

Dr. H. B. Anderson, from Orfordville.

General A. F. Caldwell, from Madison.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hubbell, from Edgerton.

C. M. Fleek and son Brown, to Brodhead.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Williams, from Whitewater.

W. J. Dodge and W. F. Ferguson, from Madison.

H. J. Reel, from Madison to visit George Brownell.

W. H. Green and P. M. McCummons, from Beloit.

Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson and son, from Milwaukee.

George Tallman, from Madison, for his holiday vacation.

Michael Skinnon, to Chicago, after a visit with J. F. Sweeney.

Mr. and Mrs. John Horn, to Edgerton, after a visit in this city.

Frederick Rau, to Cincinnati, in the interest of F. M. Marzluff & Co.

Mrs. W. E. Buck, to Louisville, Ky., after a visit with her parents in this city.

Miss Maud Green, from Edgerton, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Green.

Misses Kittie and Etta Welch are spending a few days in Chicago, with relatives.

Mrs. Hattie Torrens, to Milwaukee, to attend the State Teachers' association meeting.

Justice and Mrs. W. R. Phillips and children, from Evansville, to visit Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Green, St. Mary's avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles, Adams, from Albion, Mich., to visit Mr. Adams' mother, Mrs. J. H. Jones, at the State School for the Blind.

Miss Ida and Master David Slightam, from Prairie du Chien, to be the guests of their cousins, Misses Grace and Hattie Slightam.

Mrs. D. P. Kinney, who for some thirty years has been connected with the Spencerian Business College of Milwaukee, is spending her holiday vacation with her brother, W. G. Palmer, No. 153 South Jackson street.

Foresters Elect Officers.

Janesville Court, Independent Order of Foresters, have elected new officers as follows:

Chief Ranger—J. D. Holmes.
Financial Secretary—J. L. Hay.
Court Deputy—A. L. Hemmens.
Recording Secretary—R. D. Stone.
Treasurer—J. Nash.
Chaplain—J. A. Cannif.
Senior Woodward—M. Heeney.
Junior Woodward—E. Gilman.
Senior Beadle—E. G. Lowry.
Junior Beadle—J. T. Neland.

Henrietta Masquerade Jan. 12.

The Henrietta Club masquerade—The masquerade everybody looks for, is set for Tuesday evening, Jan. 12. Invitations are now issuing. Novel musical effects by Smith's full orchestra are promised, and those who attend may be assured of passing an enjoyable evening.

Paints.

We have a few colors in Heath & Milligan's pure linseed oil and pure lead paints, the best made that will go go for $1.15 per gallon. Always sells for $1.50 a gallon. Lowell Hardware Company.

Piano and Safe moving specialties, C. W. SCHWART[Z] Freight and Bagg[age] line. Household goods moved quickly, transferring of all kinds attended to on s[hort] notice. Prices reasonable.

Office, Smiths' Drug Store
Residence, 202 Locust St.

Are Your Magazi[nes] Worth Preserv[ing]?

If so, they are worth [binding]. We do all kinds of b[inding at] reason-able prices. We [also] supply miss-ing numbers whe[re] are broken. Get your maga[zines] together and call telephone [2]29. We will send for them.

W. E. CL[INT]ON & CO.,
[3]2 S. Main St.
Telephone 229. (Ove[r ...]nd & Co.)

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Over [...]Woodstock's millinery store. West [Milw]aukee Street..................

COMMITTEE PLACES $25,000 IN BONDS

CAN SELL HORSELESS CARRIAGE SECURITIES.

Are Ready to "Deliver the Goods" If the Company's Agents Can Place the Balance—Latter Are Confident That They Can Do So Very Soon.

The committee appointed to canvass this city for the sale of the bonds of the American Electric Vehicle Company, have held a meeting and forwarded a statement by the company, that the committee can place about $25,000 in bonds among bona fide Janesville purchasers, if the company's agents can place the ballance.

This is said to practically insure the acceptance of the company's proposition, as $12,000 in bonds had been placed before the committee was appointed. The agents of the company are quite confident that they can place the other bonds, thus bringing the amount up to the required sum—$50,000. The subscribers will not be called upon to make payments until the whole amount is raised.

"We are now ready to fulfill our part of the agreement," said one of the committee, "and it now rests with the company's agents."

ALLOWS DAUNTLESS TO CLEAR

Secretary of the Treasury Orders Clearance Papers to Issue.

Washington, Dec. 30—The steamer Dauntless was today permitted to clear from Jacksonville, Fla., loaded with arms and munitions of war presumably for Cuban insurgents. The secretary of the treasury ordered the collector at Jacksonville to give the vessel clearance papers. The action has created a sensation in diplomatic circles.

Dr. C. L. Sutherland of Rockton, Ill., son of Hon. Joseph Sutherlad, spent yesterday in the city.

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BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure.

Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. Assures the food against alum and all forms of adulteration common to the cheap brands.

Royal Baking Powder Co., New York.

DUCK COATS.

Black lined ones, each	$1.25
Rubber lined coats, each	2.50
Unlined duck coats, each ....50c and	75c
Good calf faced mittens, per pair	50
Full line of Buckskin Mittens, ...75c, $1.00	1.
Fleece lined underwear for men, each	
All wool Underwear ....75c and	

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MISS MAY NO[...]S.
Depositions taken and typ[ewr]iting of all kinds rapidly and accurately [execu]ted. Rooms, on Office Municipal C[ourt] the bridge.

Our Annual Clearing Sale
Has Now Commenced
In heavy......
Overcoatings, Suitings, Pantings and all Furnishing Goods ...
For the next 30 days we can SAVE YOU MONEY.
J. L. FORD & SON.

Are You Troubled
with a cold or cough? If so, Smith's Wild Cherry Cough Balsam will cure you and give you relief at once.
Sample Bottle, 10c.
Regular sizes, 25 and 50c.
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..SMITH'S PHARMACY..
Agents for the Linn Street Green House. Fresh Cut Flowers. Orders taken for designs.

"Glorious Fools"
at the People's Church next Sunday evening.
A Musical and Literary Entertainment,
with a popular lecture by the pastor, on "Glorious Fools."
Seats Free, and A Welcome to All. . . .

House Moving.
Safe and Piano Moving given special attention. Orders left at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy. Telephone 202 will receive prompt attention.
EUGENE T. FISH.

save expense
At least all you can. The Gas Heater or Gas Range saves you buying a large stove and fuel for the bed rooms or small rooms in the house. Monthly bill is small if you are ordinarily careful. We have them from $2 to $6 and $7.

Our new Lamps are pretty for Christmas.

NEW GAS LIGHT CO.,
North Main Street.
Office open Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

Your Magazines Free. . . .
Miss E. E. Kavanaugh, 105 Court street, has long been recognized as THE dressmaker of the city. She has now all the work she can well do, and she and her helpers are busy from early morning till late at night, but she believes in rewarding her customers who pay cash by giving them Newspaper and Magazine coupons. There is no lady who would not be delighted with the Ladies Home Journal, Ladies' World, The Metropolitan, or some other good magazine. Pay cash to Miss Kavanaugh when she finishes your work and you will get coupons that will give you these magazines free of all cost.

MRS. G. H. HOLLIDAY, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
Special attention to diseases of women and children.
59 E. Milwaukee St. Telephone 246.

Meat Bargains at White Market.
60 South River Street. Opposite Rink.
Per Lb.
Veal Chops, 8 & 10c
Veal Cutlets, 12c
GEO. ERCANBRACK, Prop.

Mandolins and Guitars. . .
Greatly reduced prices. No prettier parlor music.
S. C. BURNHAM & CO.,
Jewelers and Music Dealers.

News of the state
is but one of the features of the Milwaukee Sentinel. The Sentinel's general news service has reached a point this year never before attained in a Wisconsin daily.
Delivered Early.
The last edition of the Sentinel is served to Janesville readers before 8 o'clock.
C. A. WILSON,
Office Park Hotel.
Agent for all Chicago and Milwaukee dailies.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

We have placed on sale Two Hundred Pieces of

New 36-inch Percales. .

Goods just received from the mills and showing all the advance styles and colorings for spring. These beautiful new wash fabrics are being cut up very rapidly. They are the most satisfactory wash goods on the market today, giving the best of wear, the color being absolutely fast, and the styles equal to any of the new imported French fabrics. . . . . . .

Also New--Ten Pieces

Printed Outings = =

For Wrappers, New and Handsome Styles. . .

Each day now we are freshening ou: stock with the latest and newest Dry Goods. And on every item we are figuring to gi̇ve our customers the benefits of the cash discounts. You will find that we keep our standard of quality up, and our cash standard of prices down. . . . .

: BORT, BAILEY & CO. : :

A Dangerous Proceeding.

Mrs. Nuwed—There is one thing I like about you. You don't throw your mother's biscuits in my face.

Mr. Nuwed—No, darling; I don't want to spoil her beauty. Her biscuits were even worse than yours.—Brooklyn Life.

Premonitory.

"My wife's mother's coming round to spend the winter with us."

"Has she sent you word?"

"Yes; a barrel of apples and two tubs of butter arrived yesterday."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Symptoms.

"Uncle George, what is a dyspeptic?"

"A dyspeptic is a delicate person who has to have special dishes prepared for him, and then whirls in and eats some of everything else on the table."—Chicago Record.

Why Baby Loved Her.

The Baby—Gobble slobble. Gobble hobble.

The Wife—John, I do believe the baby is trying to say he loves me.

The Brute—Very likely. He hasn't known you long.—Town Topics.

Surprised Him.

Father—It will be only right to settle my daughter's fortune on her children.

Foreign Suitor (excitedly)—Parbleu! I not know she hat any.—Brooklyn Life.

A Marked Improvement.

"How is Dabbles getting along with his pictures?" asked the friend.

"Splendidly," replied the cynic. "He's buying them instead of trying to paint them himself."—Washington Star.

A Chicago Conversation.

Mr. Dearborn—You seem to be very fond of your wife's mother, Mr. Hampack.

Mr. Hampack—I am. She is my favorite mother-in-law.—N. Y. World.

To Materialize.

One need not be a medium
To see spooks strange and frisky.
Drink nothing but the poorest rum
And swim in five-cent whisky.
—Chicago Times-Herald.

IT has been held that consumption is hereditary, and the fact that one person of a family had died with consumption was considered a sure sign that others of that family could not escape it. This is partly true and partly untrue. A man with weak lungs is likely to transmit that weakness to his children. But there is no reason in the world why the weakness should be allowed to develop.

Keep the lungs full of rich, red, wholesome blood, and the weakness will disappear. Decaying tissues will be thrown off, and new material will be added until the lungs are well and perfectly strong again. This is the thing that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery does. This is what makes it cure 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption where it is taken according to directions. It searches out disease germs, wherever they may be in the body, and forces them out of the system. It supplies the blood with rich, life-giving properties. It makes the appetite good, digestion perfect. Sold by all medicine dealers.

SCALY eruptions on the head, chapped hands and lips, cuts bruises, scalds, burns are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is at present the article most used for piles and it always cures them. C. D. Stevens.

PERCALES and outing flannels, Bort, Bailey & Co's ad is full of this evening.

Soothing, and not irritating strengthening, and not weakening, small but effective—such are the qualities of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. C. D. Stevens.

Personally Conducted Tour Through Mexico.

The Northwestern line has arranged for a personally conducted tour through Mexico, under the auspices of J. J. Grafton, the well known excursion manager. The party will leave Chicago and leave there in a morning February, 2, 1897, in a sleeping vestibuled train of palace sleeping and dining cars, observation cars and for the which will be their home during the trip. During the tour, which will consume thirty days, all of the cities of interest and almost every place will be visited in this wonderful country. To accommodate those who desire to remain longer than thirty days arrangements will be made for the extension of the time limit of tickets. Illustrated pamphlets and full information as to rates, etc., will be furnished on application to agents, Chicago and Northwestern R'y.

The old lady was said, the child might die when she went for the doctor. She says she waited one's life with a few doses of little One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. C. D. Stevens.

Tour of Old Mexico.

Under escort of American Tourist association. Reau Campbell, General manager. January 19 and February 27. Sleeping and dining cars and special baggage cars through all the tour without change. More miles and days in Mexico, more cities and towns than ever offered. Tickets include all expenses, sleeping and dining cars, hotels, etc. Apply to any ticket agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway for further particulars.

"Excuse me," observed the man in spectacles, "but I am a surgeon, and that is not where the liver is." "Never you mind where the liver is," retorted the other. "If it was in his big toe or his left ear De Witt's Little Early Risers would reach it and shake it for him. C. D. Stevens.

THE old way of delivering messages by post boys compared with the modern telephone illustrates the old tedious methods of "breaking" colds compared with their almost instantaneous cure by One Minute Cough Cure. C. D. Stevens.

SAVE ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS

Where? On that new piano you would like to buy before Christmas.

To turn our present large stock quickly, we will sell you the famous Bradbury piano at a small margin below factory cost. No dealer's profits. Cash or time.

The Bradbury has been the standard of piano excellence for over forty years in all the large cities east and west. Is used in the White house now and has ever since Grant's first term. Endorsed by the late Governor Rusk and many others of national reputation.

Every piano has the maker's written guarantee with forty years' reputation and one million dollars capital behind it. May be returned or exchanged if not satisfactory. The greatest piano opportunity ever offered.

Will save you one hundred dollars if you will write direct to Freeborn G. Smith, Sole Manufacturer Bradbury Pianos, 255-257 Wabash avenue, Chicago.

Holiday Excursion Rates.

On December 24, 25, 31, 1896, and January 1, 1897, the Chicago & Northwestern Railway will sell excursion tickets at low rates to points on the Northwestern line and Union Pacific system within 200 miles of selling station, good for, return passage until January 4, 1897 inclusive. For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

IS IT A TRIFLE?

THAT COMMON TROUBLE, ACID DYSPEPSIA OR SOUR STOMACH.

Now Recognized as a Cause of Serious Disease.

Acid dyspepsia, commonly called heartburn or sour stomach, is a form of indigestion resulting from fermentation of the food. The stomach being too weak to promptly digest it, the food remains until fermentation begins, filling the stomach with gas, and a bitter, sour, burning taste in the mouth is often present. This condition soon becomes chronic and being an everyday occurrence is given but little attention. Because dyspepsia is not immediately fatal, many people do nothing for the trouble.

Within a recent period a remedy has been discovered prepared solely to cure dyspepsia and stomach troubles. It is known as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and is now becoming rapidly used and prescribed as a radical cure for every form of dyspepsia.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets have been placed before the public and are sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cents per package. It is prepared by the Stuart Chemical Co., Marshall, Mich. and effectually cures while it promptly at the same time will not injure the vigorous digestion, but on the contrary is perfectly harmless and tion strengthens the delicate stomach, appetite and makes life perfect digestion improves the living.

Send for free book on Stomach Diseases.

THE RAILROAD TIME-TABLES

Chicago & Northwesten	LEAVE FOR	ARRIVE FROM
Chgo Via Clinton *	6:40 a m	9:30 p m
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	7:55 a m	8:35 p m
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	12:40 p m	12:40 p m
Chgo Via Clinton Sharon *	7:20 p m	12:40 a m
Chgo Via Beloit R'kf'd, Elgin	7:00 a m	6:30 a m
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2;10 p m	11;35 a m
Beloit, Dekalb & Omaha line	12;23 p m	10:45 a m 8:00 p m
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, & Elgin	7:20 p m	10;25 p m
Watertown, Fond Du Lac & Oshkosh	7.00 a m	12;15 p m
Watertown Fond Du Lac Waukesha & Milwaukee	12;45 p m	10;40 p m
Watertown & Juneau Freight	4:00 p m	....
Watertown	8;40 p m	7:50 a m
Evansville Brooklyn Oregon Madison, Elroy, LaCrosse, Winona & points in Minn & Dak	6:30 a m	....
Evansville Madison Elroy La Crosse Winona & St Paul	10.50 a m	3:05 p m
Leyden Fellows Evansville Brooklyn Oregon & Madison	8;05 p m	12;05 p m
Evansville Madison St Paul & Duluth *	9;30 p m	7:20 p m
Evansville Madison St Paul Winona & Dakota *	12:45 a m	7:20 p. m
Evansville Madison & Elroy §	7;30 a m	
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard §	2;15 p m	1:15 p.m

*Daily § Sunday only.

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.	Leave For.	Arrive From
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit	*1:10 pm	12:50 pm
Milwaukee Whitewater, Waukesha and Chicago	7:00 a m *7:30 a m 10:05 a m 4:40 p m	9:30 a m .... 5:35 p m 7:45 p m
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	9:40 a m 4.40 p m 7:00 p m	9:17 a m 11:25 a m 5:30 p m
Edgerton, Stoughton and Madison, mixed	11:20 a m	1:08 p m
Dakota, Iowa, Minnesota and Prairie du Chien	4:40 p m	11:15 a m
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EFFECT OF MUZZLES.

Their Enforced Use Has Changed the Breed of London Dogs.

The muzzling order has now been so long in operation that one is liable to see its practical results, at all events so far as London is concerned. They are really very remarkable, especially from a point of view not likely to be immediately taken. The supremacy of the fox terrier is gone. One misses the little, vivid white spots that moved about so quickly and made streets and thoroughfares gay, and, it must be admitted, noisy. Most of these dogs were mongrels, and, being of no appreciable value, and probably of no clearly defined ownership, they passed quickly in a wholesale way into the lethal chambers. London is rid of them, but at all our towns, the white terrier with the odd markings is still in the ascendant. On the other hand, here in town we have the Irish and the Scotch. These are as yet pretty pure; they keep rather to themselves, after the manner of the provincials, but in a couple of years mongrelism will assert itself, and London will be overrun. As it is, the hardy little Aberdeen, with his long body, short legs and nondescript markings of black and gray and mustard, holds the street, and the Irish terrier loafs about, social and easy-going. They are both excellent in their way, but, for all that, one misses the sharp, quick vitality of the fox terrier. Even as a mongrel he seemed to concentrate in his active little body all doggy qualities, especially fidelity and hatred of cats.—London News.

The King of Stars.

The great star Arcturus, which shines in the farthest heavens, rushes through space at the rate of 197,000 miles an hour, or 4,728,000 miles a day. Just think of that! How far do you think this star is away from the earth? Only 1,069,500,000,000,000,000,000 miles—an inconceivable distance. We see it in the heavens because its size is so immense, for it is no less than 551,000 times greater than the sun. It gives out seven thousand times as much heat as the sun. If the earth could be moved through space toward Arcturus, the spectacle that would be presented to its inhabitants as they approached that great star would be of indescribable magnificence. When we had arrived within something less than 8,000,000,000 miles, its light and heat would be equal to that which we get from our sun at a distance of only 93,000,000 miles. When we approached it as close as Neptune, the intensity of its heat would begin to be unbearable. At the distance of Jupiter it would smite the earth with the resistless energy of its radiation. The forests would burn, the oceans rise from their beds in vapor, the ground would smoke, and, before we could approach as close as the earth is to the sun, the whole of our globe would be melted and dissipated in steam! Truly, Arcturus is king among stars, and our sun, great and brilliant as it is, if dropped into the blazing photosphere of that great planet, would be instantly swallowed up, and the only visible evidence of its fate would be a sudden flash. If a devil fish had been born at the same date as Julius Caesar, June 12, 100 B. C., with a tentacle 1,069,500,000,000,000 miles long, and on the day of its birth had placed one claw upon the fervid surface of Arcturus, it would yet require the lapse of several thousand years beyond the present date before t[illegible]urn would enter the creature's consciousness—upon the supposition that sensation travels with the same speed as light, 186,000 miles per second. This means also that the little twinkle of light which Arcturus gives out when we look at it left the star many thousands of years ago.

Of course the figures bewilder one, but, as far as they can be, they have been proved correct.

Sunbeam in Love.

Naughty Cupid, little mischief,
  Tired of wounding human hearts,
Took one day a golden arrow,
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Shot it straight into a sunbeam,
  Speeding through the balmy air,
Would the sunbeam love and suffer—
  Not a bit did Cupid care.

To the sunbeam, rising early,
  Came a glad and sweet surprise,
For a moonbeam, faintly glowing,
  Passed before his ardent eyes.
Then the sunbeam kissed the moonbeam,
  But the moonbeam fled away,
And the sunbeam, fast pursuing,
  Vainly sought her all the day.

In the evening went the sunbeam,
  Weary to a willing rest;
He had sought the round earth over,
  In the ardor of his quest.
Though his search had been unfruitful,
  And unsatisfied his love,
Yet the world was bright and smiling,
  Gladdened as he passed above.

Mother Goose.

Mother Goose was a real character, and not an imaginary personage, as some people suppose. Her maiden name was Elizabeth Foster, and she was born in the year 1665 in the colony of Massachusetts bay. She married Isaac Goose in the year 1683, and a few years later became a member of the Old South church, Boston. The first edition of her melodies (which were originally sung to her grandchildren) was published in Boston in 1716 by her son-in-law, Thomas Fleet. Mother Goose died in 1757.

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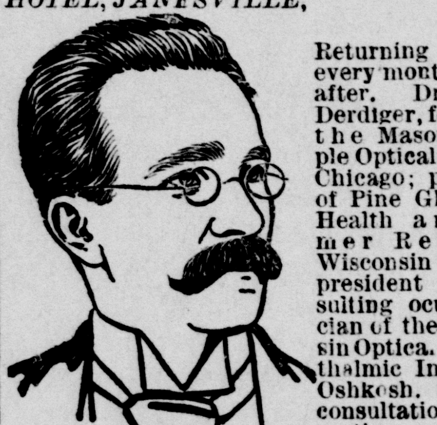

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The application of John W. Austin, surviving executor, for the adjustment and allowance of his his account as executor of the estate of John Austin, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to such other persons as are by law and by the will of said deceased entitled thereto.—Dated Dec. 24th, 1896.

By the Court,
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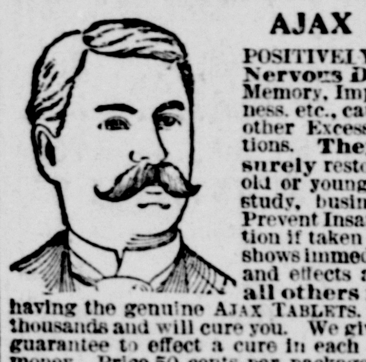

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One No. 7 Radiant Home—largest base burner made—regular price $50; now	$39 00
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One No 56 Art Garland, was $40; now	34 00
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One No. 140 Regal Peninsular, was $40; now	32 50
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One No. 102 Riverside Oak, wood or coal, was $14; now	11 50
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One No. 103 Air Tight Coal Stove, was $20; now	16 50

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One 4-hole Michigan Range, was $31; now	27 50
One No. 9 Garland high shelf and reservoir, was $38; now	33 00
One 4-hole Riverside, was $28; now	24 00
One 6 hole Garland, high shelf and reservoir, was $50; now	42 00

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One No. 9 4-hole Garland, was $31; now	26 00
One No. 9 Peninsular Cook; was $27; now	22 00
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One No. 9 Jewel, was $24; now	21 50
One No. 8 Jewell, was $23; now	20 50
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THE RETIRED BURGLAR.

What Happened to Him One Night Down in a Dark Cellar.

"I'm fond of lobsters," said the retired burglar, "but I like 'em best cooked. And, speaking of the best way to eat lobsters cooked, the best way to eat lobster is stewed. You take good lively, fresh lobsters and boil 'em, and then you pick 'em out and cut 'em up, not too fine, and warm 'em over; putting in a little water to make a sort of a gravy, and a little bit of butter, and a little pepper and some salt, unless you put in enough when you boiled 'em, and it be just a little touch of vinegar, though some folks don't like any vinegar in 'em at all. Then you serve 'em hot. I like to spread a slice of bread and put that on my plate and ladle the lobster out on that. You may think there's better ways of eating lobsters; but when I have stewed lobsters for breakfast I forget I'm poor. But what I set out to tell you about was a live lobster. I dropped down one night, through a window that I had opened, into a deep cellar. The window was narrow, and high up. I guess it must have been six or seven feet from the cellar bottom to the lower edge of it. Of course, a man can't walk up a stone wall like that very well, and so before going upstairs I fixed a way of getting out easy, in case I should want to go in a hurry, as, of course, might happen. I moved a couple of boxes up under the window, one on top of the other, making a sort of steps. When I reached down to pick up my bag again I didn't strike it at first, and as I was feeling along for it something grabbed my hand, nipped it sharp and hard and hung on. I was startled, sure, but I realized in an instant that it was a lobster. You know some folks when they ain't going to cook the lobsters till morning put 'em out on the grass over night, or maybe down on the cellar bottom where they'll keep cool and in good condition, and I'd run against a lobster put down in the cellar. When I stood up, the lobster was still hanging on. I threw out my hand, natural enough, I suppose, with an idea of throwing the lobster off, but instead of that I banged him against the big zinc cylinder around the furnace. It sounded like hittin' a big iron drum with a club. That startled me, too, and when I stepped over in the coal bin to get away from the furnace I fell over into the coal bin. There was a narrow opening in the side of the bin where they'd took down one board at a time as the coal got lower there, until they'd got down to just one board at the bottom, and I'd stumbled over that and fell backward on the coal. The lobster was still hanging on. I thought I made noise enough clattering against the board and falling on the coal, but the minute I struck the coal I started a coal slide. From where the boards had been taken out the coal sloped up high against the side of the cellar; my falling on the foot of it started the whole face of the slope moving. It made more noise than a load of coal dumping on the sidewalk. Stepping out of the coal bin, I knocked down the coal shovel leaning against it just outside, and the big furnace poker. Noise? Humph! All this time the lobster was still hanging on—you see, it takes me some little time to tell you about it all, but it took mighty little time for it all to happen. As the poker banged down I heard folks coming down the stairs from the second floor to the floor above the cellar. Of course, there was just one thing for me to do and that was to get out. While the folks was coming down from the second floor to the first, I was making for the cellar window; and the lobster never let go till I stepped up on the first box."—New York Sun.

Tea and Coffee Bad for Children.

but a physician says that it is all baby ne for a mother to give her drinks and coffee. Neither of the good, and possibly do the child any cause dis first drinks are sure to the worse ment, and the child is and, in facthem for several days, the place while the system gets to new "drugs," it can assimilate the are men that ich they are. There acts upon them good, strong coffee and that it stin drink of whisky newed mental acties them to re- drinker declares tThe woman tea gone to pieces" till she "feels all cup of tea, and it its her strong to arrange for strong dte common if one is called to sit its of both the usual time, for ther beyond keeping one awake. From oose of to be conclusive evidence tt ought coffee are not fit for childrena and and it is a mooted question rink, they are really fit for human uuer side of the drugs and medicinet- are found in the "doctors' books.t course it is the abuse of things makes them harmful, and most peo abuse the use of tea and coffee. T newest theory concerning coffee now i that its unrestricted use brings on early loss of sight and total blindness. —Philadelphia Times.

Illinois Horticulturists.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 30.—The Illinois State Horticultural Society is holding its fortieth annual convention in this city, with about twenty-five members in attendance. At Tuesday's session the secretary and treasurer reported and President Goodrich delivered his annual address. The secretary reported in detail the expenditures of the year, aggregating $4,232.89. He also spoke of the appearance of the San Jose scale in the state and urged that vigorous measures be taken to exterminate it. The society will remain in session until Thursday afternoon.

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Ladies' Fleeced Hose,	25c....	19c
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Misses' & Child's Wool Hose,	38c....	25c
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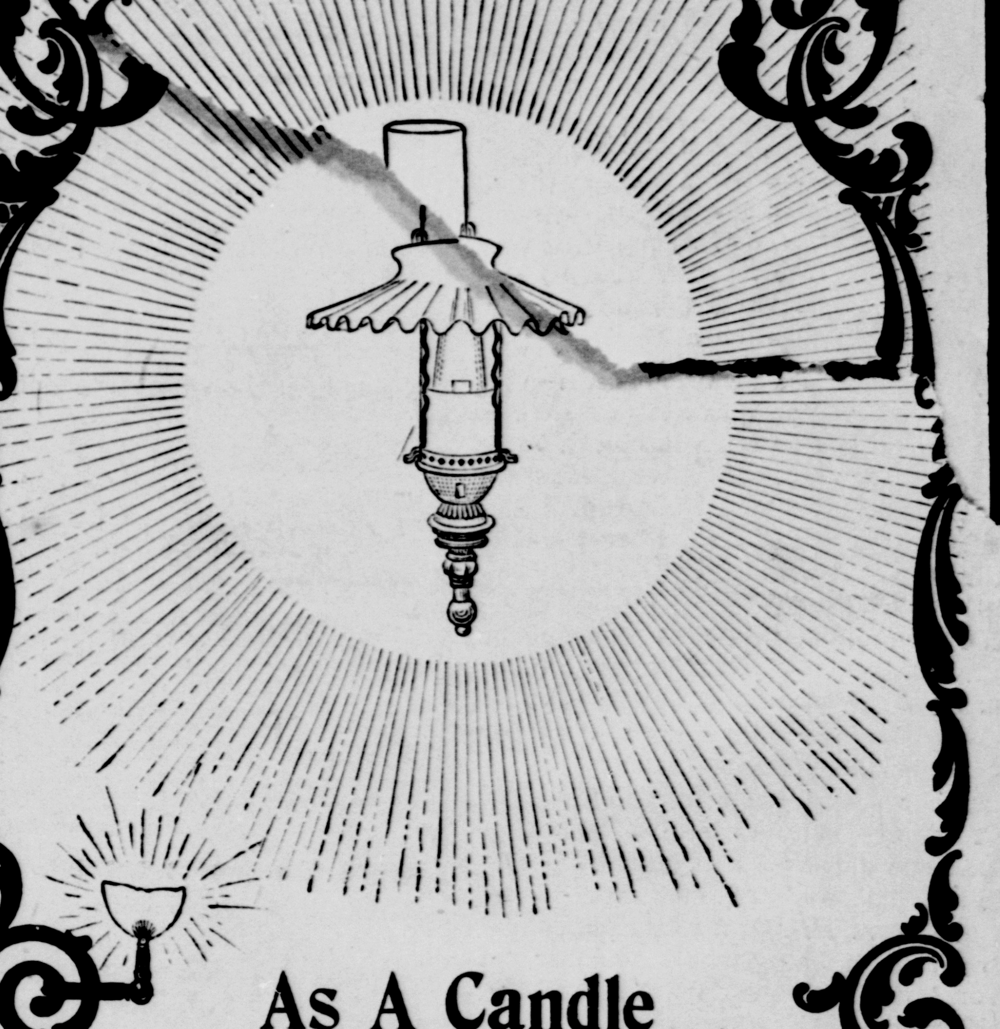

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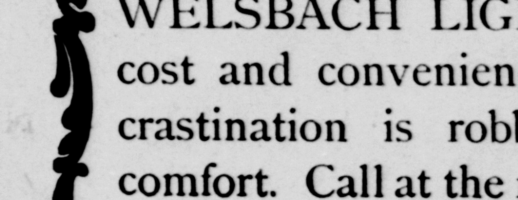

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